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PLANS CANADIAN CONSULAR SERVICE

WILL PROVE OF GREAT VALUE TO EXPORTERS

Pending Organization, British
Officials Will Co-operate
With Commercial Agents

Ottawa, Sept. 18.—Arrangements have been completed between Sir Edward Grey, secretary of state for foreign affairs, and Hon. George E. Foster, minister of trade and commerce, by which the whole of the British consular service extending to every point in the world will be placed at the disposal of Canadian commercial interests. Means are provided also for building up a distinct Canadian consular service under the auspices of the British service. The plan should prove of the greatest value to Canadian exporters, as arrangements are made for securing information rapidly, while authentic information as to Canadian resources and development will be available in all parts of the globe. It is regarded as a great step towards closer political and commercial relations with the Motherland.

Mr. Foster has been working at this plan all summer. After careful investigation, Mr. Foster early in May passed through the cabinet an order-in-council which forms the basis of the agreement. This order-in-council, after giving digest of the British consular system and noting its completeness and excellence, observes that much of the information collected by British consuls would be of use to Canadian business interests and notes the fact that the British consulates scattered over the world would be kept supplied with the latest information regarding Canada so as to be able to answer inquiries and suggestions of interchange.

After a review of numerous advantages which would accrue from the service if this consular system were made available to Canada, the order-in-council authorized Mr. Foster to confer personally with the home authorities with a view to securing co-operation.

Those arrangements resolve themselves into this, Canada will use the British consular system to obtain information about foreign countries and that foreigners can repair to British consular offices and obtain information as to conditions and opportunities here. There is also opened the avenue to the building of a Canadian consular service. They will be supplied with interpreters and will be introduced to the principal officers and merchants, foreign and native of the country they may be visiting. The valuable information in the office of the commercial attaches of the British embassy regarding all forms of commercial activity will be placed by instruction at the disposal of such special trade representatives of Canada and His Majesty's consuls and attaches will be enjoined to discuss with them all practical aspects of trade conditions and prospects.

SPAIN WILL DRIVE OUT CONSPIRATORS

Agrees to Banish Portuguese
Who Promoted Recent
Royalist Plot

New York, Sept. 18.—The following official dispatch has been received by the consul-general of Portugal at New York:

"A diplomatic agreement between Portugal and Spain has come into operation, stipulating: The banishment from Spanish territory of all chiefs and promoters of the late Portuguese Royalist conspiracy; the trial by the Spanish courts of those conspirators who are liable under the Spanish criminal laws; that those who have accepted the offer of the Brazilian government to reside there shall not be allowed in Spanish territory for three years. The same will be the course with those conspirators that already have left Spain for any other country.

"The definite convention will suffice to prevent any conspiracy in both territories against the regime of each other. This agreement has been concluded in most friendly terms."

NEW WARSHIP FOR GREECE.

Hamburg, Sept. 18.—A party of engineers from the Bethlehem Steel Company arrived here yesterday to arrange for the installation of 14-inch guns and armor on the new Greek armored cruiser, the hull of which is to be built in the Vulcan ship building yards at St. Etienne. The warship is to have a displacement of 14,000 tons. The fact that the Americans were awarded the most important contract has caused heart-burning among the German steel firms, which steadily assert that their naval guns were so markedly superior that their 11-inch and 12-inch guns were equivalent to the 12-inch and 14-inch guns of foreign manufacture.

BOMB-DROPPING CONTEST.

Tests of Use of Aeroplanes in Warfare
Conducted in England.

London, Sept. 18.—Extensive tests of the use of the aeroplane in warfare were carried out yesterday at Hendon, in the presence of 15,000 interested spectators.

The chief item of interest was the bomb-dropping contest which was won by an aviator named Traversa, who from an altitude of 800 feet, hurled a missile within 26 feet of the mark aimed at. An Australian named Pickles was second, dropping a bomb within thirty feet of the point set by the officials.

"The highest altitude attained was 2850 feet, Pickles being successful in rising to that height."

ROBBED AT POINT OF REVOLVER.

Farm Hand Relieved of Money by Men
He Had Employed as Laborers.

Arcole, Sask., Sept. 18.—E. Shorkey, a farm hand, while driving home late Monday night with two men, giving their names as Ed Taylor and James McCarthy, whom he had hired at Elker, that day as farm hands, was held up by them at the point of a revolver and robbed of all his money.

After relieving him of his money, they told him to clear out or they would shoot his head off. They then took the horse and rig and drove south. The horse, with the rig, turned up next morning at the owner's house without a driver.

COMMISSIONER SUBMITS REPORT

VANCOUVER HOSPITAL NEEDS MORE MONEY

Makes Number of Recommendations
as Result of Recent Investigation

Vancouver, Sept. 18.—R. W. Hanington, the commissioner appointed by the provincial government to look into complaints made against the Vancouver General Hospital, has forwarded his report to the provincial secretary, Mr. Hanington held eleven public sittings to hear evidence and also made a personal inspection of the hospital. He finds in substance that most of the charges are of a trivial nature and that in those cases where there was any reason for complaint the trouble is due altogether to the fact that the institution has not sufficient funds to enable it to keep an adequate staff of nurses and orderlies.

As proving the efficiency of the hospital Mr. Hanington points out that its death rate is 5.57 per cent, while at Toronto it is 6.44 per cent, at Winnipeg 7.34 per cent, and at Montreal 7.59 per cent.

He recommends that funds be provided to increase the staff of nurses and orderlies by at least one-third, that massage treatment be introduced, that a home be established for the aged and for incurables, that there be more accommodation for emergency cases, that the children's ward be enlarged, and that the isolation hospital be brought up to the standard of the main hospital.

All of these recommendations, as Mr. Hanington points out, really mean the one thing, which is that the hospital needs more money.

MYSTERY UNSOLVED.

No Clue to Murderer of Proprietor of
Portland Auto Livery Service.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 18.—Twenty-four hours of search by the Portland city detectives has resulted in no clue to the slayer of Harry G. Barr, proprietor of an automobile livery service, who was found murdered early yesterday on the Linton road. Supplementing the efforts of the police, Sheriff Robert L. Stevens, who ran to earth the murderer of Donald Stewart and George Hastings, two boys who were shot to death while automobile riding in March last, is bending every effort toward discovering Barr's slayer.

The sheriff is working, however, on a different hypothesis from that of the detectives. This is that Barr was murdered probably by a man at a distance from the place where the body was found, loaded into the automobile and taken to the place. There is evidence that the man was not killed in the machine. It is stated that the victim must have bled profusely after he was shot, but that there is but a small amount of blood on the cushions, compared with what there would have been had he expired in the car.

There were also indications that the body had been lifted from the automobile and dragged across the road and then thrown over the embankment. This, it is said, would preclude the idea of a woman having done the deed alone, as no woman would have possessed the physical strength to lift and drag the body, as apparently was done in this instance.

FIRE DESTROYS MILL.

Blaine, Wash., Sept. 18.—The Campbell River lumber and shingle mill at Hazelmore, B. C., was burned yesterday afternoon with a loss of \$150,000. The mill was owned by Hunter & Fox. The insurance was \$40,000.

ANOTHER FIGHT IN HUNGARIAN HOUSE

DEPUTIES ASSAULT MINISTER OF COMMERCE

Knocked to Floor by Opposition
Members During Riot
in Chamber

Budapest, Sept. 18.—The riotous scenes that occurred at the opening of the Hungarian parliament were repeated today, when the sitting of the chamber of deputies was resumed. The opposition members concentrated their attacks upon Herr Beothy, the minister of commerce, who was struck in the face several times and knocked down.

As soon as the government deputies began to come into the chamber, the uproar began. An opposition member shouted "seconded!" at Minister Beothy. He stepped toward the speaker and asked: "What did you say?" Immediately the oppositionists rushed at the minister, striking him with their fists, knocking him to the floor. After some struggling, the minister was rescued by friends.

When the president of the lower house, Count Stephen Tisza, took the chair, the tumult was resumed. During yesterday's session a strong force of police entered the building. Count Tisza, who was in the lobby, declared that he would summon them into the chamber if necessary. This eventually was done.

The commandant of police called upon individual deputies to leave the house. About one hundred of them gathered in the centre of the chamber, while their leaders, Count Apponyi and Count Zichy, stood at the gangways and were joined there by Count Andrássy and Count Zernsey, who are not affiliated with any particular party. All attempts to induce them to leave peacefully failed. The police advanced to expel them and a terrific struggle took place, in which fists and feet were used freely. In some cases it required as many as six policemen to remove a single legislator. One had an arm nearly pulled from its socket.

Count Karolyi, who has had several experiences of this kind, struck out like a madman and succeeded in freeing himself from the police at the door. He rushed back and fell fainting on a bench.

After a long struggle, only Count Apponyi and fourteen deputies were left. The count told the commandant that they would leave voluntarily if the police went first. This was done. The seats, which had been piled up as barricades were restored to their places, and government deputies returned to their chamber.

Count Tisza then addressed the deputies, declaring that business could not be carried on nor could it be checked by means of children's trumpets, and the discussion of finances was resumed.

When police appeared in the chamber the opposition deputies left the hall in a body and the ministerialists carried on the business before the House.

WOMAN'S LONG RACE AGAINST DEATH

Is Hurrying to Bedside of Her
Fiance Who Was Injured In
Accident in Calgary

New York, Sept. 18.—The fast fruit steamer Siroka, which came in from Central America yesterday, brought a distressed young woman, who is making a long race against death. Just before the Siroka sailed from Port Limerick, the cable brought word that the girl's fiancé had been fatally injured in Calgary, Alta. She hastily boarded the vessel and immediately on arrival here took the first train for the Northwest.

She is Miss Lillian Broderick, 24 years old, daughter of a retired American newspaperman, whose former home was in Seattle, but who has lived in Costa Rica for the last three years. Fate sent to that country a civil engineer, Leon Federon. Three months ago he met Miss Broderick and it was a case of love at first sight. They were to have been married on Thanksgiving Day. A fortnight ago Federon was fatally injured in a street car accident and he cabled to his fiancée to come in order that they might be married before he died and to-day she is hurrying westward as fast as steam can carry her to his side.

CUT OFF "SUICIDE POINT."

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 18.—"Suicide Point," a little bullet-promontory, overlooking the brink of Niagara Falls, has been cut away by order of the state reservation commission. The number of persons who used the point as a jumping-off place increased so alarmingly in the last year or so that the commission determined to be rid of it.

OFFICIAL REMOVED.

Quebec, Sept. 18.—Dr. J. P. Lavole, Dominion immigration agent here for the past four years, has been removed from office. John P. Stafford, his assistant, who has spent twenty-five years in the service, takes his place.

ODD FELLOWS ELECT OFFICERS.

C. A. Kellar Chosen as Grand Sire at
Sovereign Grand Lodge.

Winnipeg, Sept. 18.—Chief officers were selected at yesterday's session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F., as follows: C. A. Kellar, San Antonio, Texas, grand sire; Judge Robert F. Daniel, Georgia, deputy grand sire; John B. Goodwin, Baltimore, re-elected grand secretary; M. Richards Muckie, Philadelphia, re-elected grand treasurer.

WAR ON FORTUNE TELLERS.

London, Sept. 18.—Quite a sensation has been caused in fortune-telling and palmistry establishments owing to an edict issued by the police prohibiting the advertising of palmistry, crystal-gazing and clairvoyance. The police estimate that around Bond street alone there are at least 150 of the above establishments.

The threatened action is, however, not quite so drastic as that taken in Australia recently. Fortune-tellers in that country are now prohibited from making any charge for revealing the future and this regulation has had the effect of practically wiping out these people.

DECLARES ULSTER WILL NOT FIGHT

SIR J. WHITTAKER ON HOME RULE CAMPAIGN

Says Unionist Talk is a Bluff
—British Members and
Naval Question

Winnipeg, Sept. 18.—"Unionist talk in Ulster is all a bluff," said Rt. Hon. Sir Thomas P. Whittaker, M. P., the well-known publicist and financier of London, here. "They said the same thing forty-four years ago when we disestablished the Irish church. They were going to lay down their lives and they went to bed instead."

"Home Rule for Ireland will be a law inside of three years if we can carry the bill through the House of Commons three times, and I feel that it will be easily accomplished."

Sir Thomas, who will make investments in western Canada on behalf of the great assurance companies with which he is connected, said they were all agreed on the need for an all-powerful navy and would welcome the free co-operation of Canada.

F. E. Smith Interviewed.

London, Sept. 18.—F. E. Smith, the Unionist M. P., who landed yesterday after his Canadian tour, declared the Dominion showed a great desire to no longer stand aloof from the Empire's naval interests. Strong and definite action was welcomed by all classes. At its present rate of progress, he added, Canada promised to reproduce the extraordinary development of the United States. He incidentally remarked that he found no great amount of interest in America in the Home Rule controversy.

Mr. Smith, speaking at Whitby, said that during his recent visit to Canada he was astonished how the Liberals and Conservatives alike shared the view that Canada should contribute towards the Empire's naval burden. There was not one of the dominions, he said, to do them justice, but did not realize the unfairness of one part of the Empire bearing the whole burden of armament.

IDEAL WEATHER FOR THRESHING

RETURNS EXCEEDS FARMERS' EXPECTATIONS

Export Wheat Superior to Best
of Any Previous
Year

Winnipeg, Sept. 18.—Continued magnificent harvesting and threshing weather, with no frosts, sums up the weather conditions all over the west during the last 24 hours. Not a drop of rain has fallen anywhere.

Threshing returns in a number of districts are turning out better than farmers expected, and there is no doubt about the exceptional high grade of the yield. Most of the spring wheat threshed and inspected is going Nos. 1 and 2 southern, with quite a little No. 1 hard, and so far an entire absence of oats below contract grade. Export wheat promises to far and away exceed the best of any previous year.

"HORSE PLAGUE."

Hoxie, Kas., Sept. 18.—The germ that caused the horse disease has been discovered and the scientists of the Kansas Agricultural College, who are conducting a laboratory here believe they have a serum that will make horses immune.

TRIBUTE PAID TO DEAD WARRIOR

FUNERAL OF LATE COUNT NOGI AND WIFE

Thousands Attend Ceremonies
—Prince Arthur Places
Wreath on Coffin

Tokio, Sept. 18.—The double funeral of General Marosuke Nogi, supreme military councillor of Japan, and his wife, who committed suicide on the night of September 13, just as the body of the late Emperor Mutsuhito passed out of Tokyo on its way to the imperial tomb at Monzuma, was held to-day with impressive ceremonies at the Aoyama cemetery in the presence of enormous crowds.

The funeral cortege left the Nogi residence in Akasaka, a Tokyo suburb, this afternoon and passed through the streets of the capital. The body of Japan's great warrior was borne on a bier, while the casket containing the body of the countess was carried in a hearse.

The pallbearers were chosen from the highest rank of the Japanese army and navy. One regiment of infantry acted as a guard of honor.

Representatives of the special foreign envoys who came to attend the funeral of the late Emperor and the resident ambassadors and ministers participated in the procession, which numbered upwards of 50,000 persons.

Marching behind the coffins were great numbers of relatives of soldiers killed at Port Arthur while serving under General Nogi in the spring of 1904.

The ritualistic ceremony at the great funeral hall was extremely impressive. All the foreign diplomats had seats within the temple.

Prince Arthur of Connaught personally laid a floral tribute upon the coffin. Many hundreds of wreaths were received from all parts of the world. Special United States ambassador, Philander C. Knox, did not participate, being absent at Kioto, where he went to visit the grave of Monzuma of Emperor Mutsuhito. Mr. Knox sent a magnificent wreath.

BOARD TO INVESTIGATE.

Quebec, Sept. 18.—The differences between the members of the National Fraternity of Tramways, No. 1, of Quebec, and the Quebec Railway, Light, Heat & Power Company, will be submitted to a commission of inquiry instituted under the Trades Disputes Act.

PRESENTATION TO DETECTIVE.

Montreal, Sept. 18.—Chief of Detectives, S. H. Carpenter, who has resigned his position here to accept the position of chief of police of Edmonton, was yesterday the recipient of a handsome gold-headed walking stick and locket and chain.

MINERS IGNORE PRESIDENT'S ADVICE

C. H. Moyer Opposes Strike,
but Mine Employees Decide to Quit Work

Bingham, Utah, Sept. 18.—Bingham waited anxiously to-day for the developments following the vote at a miners' meeting last night in favor of a strike for higher wages. The strike affects 4,000 men, principally aliens, and may involve nine or ten thousand men, including those employed in the reduction mills and smelter at Garfield.

An increase of 25 cents a day is the bone of contention. The Utah Copper Company and many smaller concerns have refused to treat with union officials representing the miners.

Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, advised against an immediate strike at the meeting last night, but was overruled by an unanimous vote.

By 10 o'clock all the mines were idle. Strike pickets turned back the shifts which started for work. Twenty-five deputies sent to camp by the sheriff of Salt Lake county were powerless. Miners were leaving yesterday for other districts.

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The discovery of the germ, which the specialists say has been found in the brain of every horse that died from the disease examined here, positively identifies the "horse plague" as "Horse's disease," a form of spinal meningitis well known in Germany but never before recognized in this country.

ANTI-HOME RULE FIGHT.

Yeomanry Will Act as Escort to Sir E.
Carson on Tour of Ulster.

London, Sept. 18.—Sir Edward Carson, leader of the Ulster Anti-Home Rule movement, will hold a series of meetings, commencing on Wednesday next, when the people of Ulster will be asked to pledge themselves to resist Home Rule.

Squadrons of mounted yeomanry and former army men are to accompany Sir Edward on his tour. There will be a military demonstration in Ulster, followed by a march past. Besides the soldiers, 40,000 members of Ulster clubs will take part in the demonstration.

ARCHBISHOP PASSES AWAY.

Most Rev. Ronald MacDonald Dies in
Montreal Infirmary.

Montreal, Sept. 18.—The Most Rev. Ronald MacDonald, Archbishop of Cortina, "in partibus infidelium," formerly bishop of Harbor Grace, Newfoundland, died at the infirmary of the Grey Nunnery here yesterday. On his retirement from the diocese of Harbor Grace, on account of ill-health, six years ago, he was made Archbishop of Cortina. Since then he had resided at Picoté. On Wednesday last he arrived in Montreal for special nursing and surgical treatment and was taken to the infirmary of the Grey Nunnery, where he passed away.

MADERO MUST RESIGN PRESIDENCY

MEXICAN REBEL LEADER ISSUES STATEMENT

General Zapata Threatens to
Kill Americans If Intervention Comes

New York, Sept. 18.—General Emiliano Zapata, the rebel chieftain, who is threatening to attack Mexico City, gives his reasons for his uprising against President Madero, in a statement forwarded to the Herald from his camp at Xautepex, Morelos.

He says: "So that the people of the United States may know why the revolution is going on against Madero in Southern Mexico, I make this statement. 'I charge Madero with making promises to reduce taxes to induce the people to follow him against Diaz. He has kept none of those promises. 'I charge him with promising to increase the taxes on large estates, so that the owners would have to cut them up, and thus give the poor man a chance to buy a little farm. He has not kept this promise. 'I charge Madero with ignoring the men who helped win and with putting into places of trust at large salaries seventy-three of his relatives. 'I demand that Madero resign the presidency and that he and his family leave the republic forever. The government must not give them a cent on which to go, for the Madero family has had enough of the government money. 'I do not want the presidency, but I do demand an honest election, at which I will agree not to be a candidate. Immediate election laws must be revised from top to bottom so as to give the poor man a chance. 'I have 18,000 men under arms in 15 states of Mexico, while Pascual Orozco, with whom I have no connection, has control of two states, making 20 states under arms. If I am victorious, I shall drive Orozco from the country.'"

Accompanying the statement is the following declaration regarding the rumors of pending intervention by the United States in Mexico:

"If intervention comes I will kill every American in Mexico. Then I will join the federal army to fight the northern invaders."

Rebels Forces United.

Douglas, Ariz., Sept. 18.—The rebel forces of Antonio Rojas and Inez Salazar have combined a few miles north of El Tigre and are preparing to recapture that town. Although information was received yesterday by General Sanjines that Rojas and Salazar had quarreled and would not combine, American Consul Dye received positive information to-day of the junction of the rebel bands.

FAMOUS PAINTINGS DESTROYED.

Old English Hall Partially Guttered By
Fire.

London, Sept. 18.—A fire, which partially destroyed Gardein Hall, the historic seat in Cheshire, owned by Col. Holdsworth, was responsible also for the destruction and loss of valuable jewellery and many famous pictures, the total value of which is estimated at \$300,000.

Those who were sleeping in the old hall escaped in their night attire.

INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION.

Kenora, Ont., Sept. 18.—The international waterways commission, which was to have met in convention here to-morrow regarding the Lake of the Woods level, has postponed its meeting until Saturday morning. The members will arrive by motor boat from Fort Frances on Friday evening.

TWO KILLED BY EXPLOSION.

Elgin, Ill., Sept. 17.—Two men killed, one fatally hurt and a third seriously injured at Coleman station, seven miles south of Elgin yesterday, when a boiler at the Wabash tank drying plant exploded. Robert Payne, the fireman, and Stephen Weckert, a workman, were killed.

WASHINGTON WILL NOT PROTEST

SECRETARY NAGEL REPLIES TO SOUND FISHERMEN

Legality of Seizure of Boats
Matter for B. C. Courts
to Decide

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 18.—Unless the fishing interests of Puget Sound approve federal control of the fisheries there is little probability of the federal government taking any further action in regard to the request for effective patrols for Puget Sound waters and protection of American fishermen, who have charged the Canadian patrols with illegal seizure of their boats from time to time.

The new chamber of commerce has received a telegram from Secretary Charles Nagel, of the department of commerce and labor, in reply to requests made through Washington representatives in Congress for an efficient patrol to offset the activities of the Canadian authorities in which Mr. Nagel mentions that the revenue cutter Snohomish is reported in Seattle papers to be engaged in patrol work in the international waters east of Cape Flattery, and that, if this be the case, no further action at this time is necessary.

Secretary Nagel also calls attention to the efforts made by the federal government to reach a satisfactory international agreement for the regulation of fisheries, and the defeat of this plan by congress, and also to the fact that soon after the introduction in congress by Senator Cullom of a bill designed to carry into effect the recommendations of the international fisheries convention of 1909, a protest by the salmon fishermen of Puget Sound against federal control of the fisheries of the State of Washington was presented to congress. This protest was made in April, 1910.

"If the salmon fishery of the state of Washington had exerted their influence in favor of federal control of fisheries instead of against it," writes Secretary Nagel, "it is altogether probable that the federal government would now have a well-equipped patrol of Puget Sound, which would have prevented the growth of the deplorable conditions now existing."

In addition to the above communication the chamber has received a letter from the department of state to the effect that the government could not, under any circumstances, undertake to prevent such seizures of fishing vessels as the Canadian authorities believe they are justified in making; that the legality of such seizures is a matter of determination by the courts of British Columbia, and it may be presumed justice will be done in those courts, and also that until this remedy has been tried in a specific case and has failed, evidence of a specific miscarriage of justice presented to the department, the government is not in a position to make any representations to Canada in the premises.

WIRELESS SERVICE TO NORTHERN EUROPE

Marconi Company Will Install
Stations in Norway and
United States

Montreal, Sept. 18.—F. H. Lauer, general manager of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company here, announces this morning the establishment of a direct wireless telegraph service between Northern Europe and the American continent. His company has concluded arrangements with the Norwegian government for the erection of high power stations both in Norway and New York. They are also erecting similar stations at San Francisco and Honolulu in connection with their trans-Pacific wireless service.

FALLS DOWN ELEVATOR SHAFT.

Toronto, Sept. 18.—James Robertson was instantly killed yesterday by falling down the elevator shaft at the Continental building. The elevator was starting upward from the fourth floor when Robertson decided to get out. Before the elevator man could stop him he attempted to step out, the gates not having been closed. He was immediately jammed against the top of the iron gate and slipped down between the elevator and the floor, falling to the bottom. The top of his head was practically torn away. Hugh Taylor, the elevator operator, was arrested on a charge of negligence.

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TRAIN ROBBERS
LOOT MAIL CAREscape With Booty, Leaving
Clerks Bound and Buried
Under Sacks

Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 18.—Two masked men held up the "Memphis Special" westbound on the southern railway at 1.30 o'clock yesterday morning near Stevenson, Ala. The mail car was looted, but the amount secured is unknown.

The men boarded the train at Stevenson, entered the mail car and covered the four clerks with pistols. Three clerks were bound, the fourth being ordered to open all sacks of registered mail from which the robbers filled a bag with packages supposed to contain valuables. After the car had been thoroughly ransacked, the fourth clerk also was bound, and one of the robbers pulled the emergency cord, the train coming to a stop in thick woods.

The engineer, after waiting a moment for a signal to proceed, went back to inquire, discovering the mail clerks nearly suffocated under mail sacks which the robbers had piled on them. When the train reached Huntsville deputy sheriffs were summoned and a posse organized to search the ground where the men had left the train.

SHOT BY HIGHWAYMAN.

California Official Wounded When He Tries to Grapple With Bandit on Suburban Car.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 18.—There is hope that Charles N. Kirkbride, city attorney of San Mateo, who was shot twice by a masked highwayman, may recover, according to his physicians. A radiograph will determine the exact location of the bullet.

Kirkbride was shot yesterday morning while returning home from San Francisco on a suburban trolley car, by one of two masked highwaymen, who also held up the car and shot at the conductor, but did not hit him.

At Easton, about a mile from Burlingame, the two highwaymen, one working on the ground and the other going through the car, covered the motorman of the San Francisco car and forced the conductor to go through the pockets of his passengers. When he demurred, one of the robbers shot at him.

Shortly after along came the south-bound car, which was halted in the same manner. While the conductor was passing the hat, Kirkbride thought he saw a chance to dodge from behind him and grappled with the robber. He had scarcely got to his feet when the robber opened fire with an automatic pistol and Kirkbride fell.

The sheriff is not sure whether the hold-up men had an automobile in waiting or not. The passengers think they saw an automobile at a distance with a third man, who may have been the chauffeur, guarding it.

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SOUNDS WARNINGPredicts Spread of Trouble If
United States Troops Cross
the Border

Douglas, Ariz., Sept. 18.—If the Mexican government should permit the United States troops to cross the international line to protect Americans in Mexico a revolution much more serious than the present one would be the result. This was the opinion expressed by General Sanjines, commanding the federal forces in Sonora, who spent several hours here yesterday.

Such an act would be bitterly resented by the great mass of the Mexican people, said the general, and there would be no safety in Mexico for either those permitting so extreme a move or for Americans.

General Sanjines said that the effect of the capture of General Orozco, while of moment to the present followers of the rebel leaders might have no effect in ending the revolution because most of the rebels were not fighting for a principle except the Socialist element. The others are fighting without feeling and they are merely bandits. "Salazar is a Socialist leader, but Rojas is just a brigand and I do not think they will join forces," concluded the general.

The Mexican federal officers responsible for holding back reinforcements for El Tigre while the rebels under Salazar were attacking this town, will be shot for cowardice, according to General Sanjines. The general made an emphatic statement to this effect when informed to-day that troops sent from Manzanera to the relief of El Tigre had arrived within ten miles of the town nine hours before the town was captured.

"As soon as I find out who was responsible he will be executed," said the general.

Intended reinforcements arrived while fighting was in progress, swinging off in a different direction and went into camp without firing a shot.

Consulting Engineer J. W. Macdonald has authorized the offer of a reward of \$50,000 for the recovery of the twenty-one bars of bullion taken from El Tigre, by Salazar on Monday. It was believed that an attempt would be made to smuggle it across the line.

CADETS RECEIVED

WITH OPEN ARMS

Canadians Are Spending Enjoyable Time in Australia—
Down a Coal Mine

(Mail Correspondence.)

Melbourne, Aug. 22.—The Canadian cadets are being received with open arms wherever they appear.

Newcastle was visited by the cadets after Sydney, and here the boys were shown over the harbor and taken down a coal mine, where they were the guests at an afternoon tea four hundred feet below the surface. The city is supported by its mines and the shipping of their product, as ships from all parts of the world gather here to carry away the black diamonds.

Goulburn was next visited by the Canadians who during their short stay were given the keys of this country seat. Melbourne was reached on Wednesday, August 14. About 400 senior cadets were at the station to meet their Canadian cousins from beyond the seas.

The Canadians' stay in Melbourne was particularly pleasant. The cadets visited ammunition factories, clothing factories and a military camp, where the instruction of the compulsory training system are taught the fundamental principles. The Canadians organized a hockey team and defeated the Australians. Artificial ice rinks are quite the rage in the Commonwealth, but as hockey players they have much to learn.

Between Goulburn and Melbourne the herd of sheep was passed, but rabbits were not to be seen. The country seems to be sparsely settled and the thriving country town is lacking. A station, a general store and a few dwelling houses make up the average Australian village.

The railroads of Australia are rather antiquated and behind the times. Each state has a different gauge and when one travels from state to state trains have to be changed. The compartment train is the most used, but the corridor car is fast becoming popular. The passage runs down the side of the car.

Melbourne is a pretty city with wide streets, palms growing in the centre of a number of the principal thoroughfares. Cable cars are the only ones that are in use in the city. The buildings are well built and solid, but the city lacks the go and push of the average Canadian centre of business.

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WATERWAYS COMMISSION.

International Falls, Minn., Sept. 18.—The international joint commission on waterways, composed of representatives of the United States and Canadian governments, met here yesterday for a hearing in connection with the question of the levels of the Lake of the Woods and tributaries. The commission will determine whether it is desirable to fix the levels of the lake, which is in the international boundary. The decision will be of much importance, since it will affect the dam and other works in the Rainy river, which empties into the lake, and the Winnipeg river, which drains it.

A farm to be run by women has been secured in Sussex. The work will include live stock, fruit growing, vegetable and flower gardening, and agricultural crops. The farm is 225 acres in extent.

REFORMS IN NAVAL
ADMINISTRATIONNumber of Important Changes
Are Announced by Winston
Churchill

London, Sept. 18.—Winston Churchill, first lord of the Admiralty, in continuance of his plans for the reform of the navy, has announced further administrative changes. The main feature is the allotment to each lord of the Admiralty of specific duties, which are precisely defined, and which correspond to the qualifications of the respective lords. These are:

First sea lord and admiral of the fleet, Vice-Admiral Sir Francis Bridgeman; second sea lord, Vice-Admiral Prince Louis of Battenberg; third sea lord, Rear-Admiral Charles John Briggs; fourth sea lord, Capt. William Pakenham, and civil lord, George Lambert, M.P.

The whole reorganization aims, like Mr. Churchill's other reforms, at running the navy on business lines.

Vitally important changes in connection with naval discipline as it affects the lives of thousands of men on the lower deck are made in Mr. Churchill's circular. It sets forth a series of new regulations, which will replace many of the most severe rules dealing hitherto with naval delinquents.

The putting into operation of the reforms indicated is declared to be the most important step yet taken for the benefit of the personnel of the fleet since the abolition of the press gang.

The new regulations are the result of the work of a special committee which for many months has been enquiring into the whole subject. The committee reported to the Admiralty six weeks ago, and its recommendations were promptly carried into effect.

HEIR TO FORTUNE.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 18.—When Harry G. Raymond extended the courtesy of his stateroom on a steamship to an elderly man just before the vessel departed from Los Angeles, the young Englishman unwittingly introduced himself to a fortune. An exchange of identities which followed disclosed the fact that the elderly man, Samuel Harrison, was Raymond's uncle, who, when a young man, had left England accompanied by his brother, Harry Harrison, both brothers of Raymond's mother, who died in ignorance of their whereabouts. To young Raymond Samuel Harrison disclosed the fact that the latter's uncle, Harry Harrison, had died, leaving his fortune of nearly \$500,000 to Raymond's mother. The Harrison brothers had made a fortune in Calgary, Alta., and in British Columbia, and when the steamship arrived here Raymond and the uncle departed immediately for British Columbia, where Raymond will be placed in possession of this inheritance.

MYSTERIOUS TRAGEDY
- NEAR PORTLANDAutomobile Owner Murdered
and Robbed—Car Found
Miles From Scene

Portland, Ore., Sept. 18.—Harry Barr, owner of a number of automobiles used in public service and a member of a prominent old-time Portland family, was found murdered yesterday on the Linton road, a popular automobile drive in the northern part of the city. Later his bloodstained automobile was found in the southern section of Portland many miles from the scene of the murder. The affair is clouded in mystery.

A further examination of Barr's body showed that he had been shot from close range behind the left ear, and he had been robbed.

Detectives have discovered that Barr took a party from a local hotel to a resort on the Linton road and started back for Portland to pick up another party, so he explained to the proprietor of the resort. Whether he was murdered or robbed on his return trip to Portland or was a victim of the second party on the outward trip is what the police are trying to find out. He went from the resort after depositing his first load without carrying any passengers, but he may have been hailed along the road and picked up persons who killed him.

PAYS PENALTY FOR CRIME.

Masked Burglar Who Shot School
Teacher is Electrocuted.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 18.—Bertram G. Spencer, who as a masked burglar, shot and killed Miss Martha B. Blackstone at Springfield, March 31, 1910, paid the penalty for his crime with death by electrocution at the Charles state prison early yesterday morning.

Spencer was calm and walked to the death chamber unassisted. As he took his place before the electric chair he said: "I wish to say to the world and the press that this is not nerve, but the love of God which has sustained me. Good night."

Then he sat in the death chair without a tremor.

The crime for which Spencer was convicted, the murder of a young woman school teacher, was the culmination of a series of petty burglaries which had baffled the police and terrorized the people of Springfield. Spencer confessed that the fascination of reading newspaper accounts of his exploits was the motive for the burglaries.

The night of March 31, 1910, Spencer broke into the home of Mrs. Sarah H. Dow. Miss Blackstone, a school teacher, was visiting at the home, and with Mrs. Dow and her two daughters was putting together a picture puzzle.

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JOHNSON GETS INJUNCTION.

Stops Exhibition of Moving Pictures of Funeral Procession of Wife.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—Jack Johnson, negro heavyweight champion, obtained an injunction in the superior court here restraining the management of a negro theatre from exhibiting motion pictures of the funeral procession of the cham-

peon's wife, who committed suicide last week.

"The exhibition, which is unauthorized by me, is an injustice to me and may cause the impression that I am profiting financially from the proceeds of the pictures," said Johnson. The chief of police issued an order placing a ban on the exhibition of the pictures.

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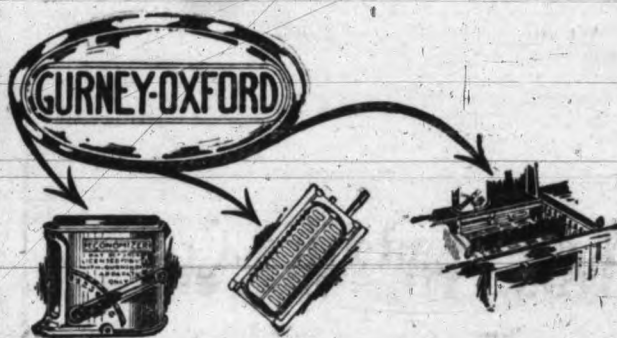
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Wapato, Wash., Sept. 13.—Mrs. Geo. Watson, residing a short distance from this place, was the victim of a peculiar accident Saturday when her children unearthed some dynamite caps which had been left on the premises. A 10-year-old boy took the caps to his mother, and while Mrs. Watson was taping the end of one of them, an explosion occurred, the woman having both hands badly lacerated and the son, who was standing by, being also injured by the flying particles of brass. It was found necessary to amputate the thumb and a portion of the forefinger of Mrs. Watson's left hand and the forefinger of the right hand at the second joint. Fifty-eight pieces of brass were picked from just under the skin of the body and arm of the boy.

STANDARD OIL STILL IN COMMAND

President of Pipeline Company
Gives Testimony at Hearing
in New York

New York, Sept. 13.—Officers and employees of the Standard Oil Company are still in command of the Buckeye Pipeline Company, a former subsidiary of the Standard Oil Company, according to D. S. Bushnell, the Buckeye's president, who testified yesterday before a referee in the Standard Oil-Walters-Pierce litigation.

Mr. Bushnell said he had been elected president of the Buckeye, Northern & Indiana Pipeline Company and the New York Transit Company in December, 1911. Immediately after the dissolution decree against the Standard Oil Company became effective.

The elections, he said, were held within an hour at the headquarters of the Standard.

There had been a meeting of the Buckeye's stockholders subsequent to the organization, Mr. Bushnell said. He obtained proxies from the majority holders of the other 19,395 shares. He sent proxies, he said, to John D. Rockefeller, J. D. Archbold, James A. Moffet and to other stockholders. They were returned signed properly.

Samuel Untermyer, for the Walters-Pierce Company, took up the organization of the Buckeye Company, carrying into effect its part under the dissolution decree. Mr. Bushnell said that the directors elected at the reorganization December, 1911, were O. S. Jener, L. F. Bates, T. W. Dillon, L. C. Welch and himself. Altogether they owned five shares, he said, out of 200,000. All of the directors, Mr. Bushnell testified, had been in the employ of the Standard Oil Company or its subsidiaries. All received increased salaries after the election, and were made officers of the company. One of them, Welch, was made superintendent of the signal division, displacing a veteran employee named Hite.

GUNMEN WALKED STREETS OF NEW YORK

Lawyer Declares Two Prisoners Did Not Make Any Attempt to Escape

New York, Sept. 13.—For six weeks prior to their arrest, "Gyp the Blood" and "Lefty Louie," wanted slayers and minutely described in thousands of circulars sent broadcast throughout the country, walked the streets of New York daily. Twice they attended the Mardi Gras festivities at Coney Island, and on one occasion they stood within the shadow of police headquarters while detectives supposed to be looking for them passed in and out of the building, while for ten minutes the gunmen debated with themselves the wisdom of giving themselves up.

This is the gist of a statement given out by ex-Judge Charles G. F. Wahlte, who is defending all four gunmen under arrest. Their lawyer declares emphatically that "Gyp the Blood" and "Lefty Louie" had not been in hiding. He went over the actions of the two men for the last six weeks, during which time they were in New York. Not for a minute during that time, he said, could any act of the two be construed as suggestive of hiding.

Mr. Wahlte declared that "Gyp the Blood" and "Lefty Louie" had walked the streets of New York and Brooklyn daily in plain sight of hundreds of uniformed policemen who were looking for them, and while at Coney Island had rubbed elbows with many of the 800 policemen on duty there. They were preparing to go to Coney Island again on Saturday when they were arrested. While not in so many words questioning the picturesque story told by the police of how the wives of "Gyp" and "Lefty" used automobiles and taxicabs, the lawyer said he did not know where the women could get money with which to hire cars.

FRENCH ARMY MANOEUVRES.

Paris, Sept. 13.—The French army manoeuvres begun on September 11, in which 12,000 soldiers participated, were concluded yesterday with a grand battle in which the entire front of the defending army, headed by General Marion, successfully held the superior forces of the enemy in check pending the arrival of the reinforcements. President Fallieres witnessed the battle, travelling from point to point in an automobile.

SENT TO PRISON.

Everett, Wash., Sept. 13.—On information furnished by the Everett police, Charles H. Huddleston, alias James Jefferson, has been arrested in New Westminster and sentenced to two and a half years for having stolen goods in his possession. Two years ago Huddleston, aided by a man and a woman, robbed the Great Northern ticket office in Everett. The trio were tried, convicted and sentenced to prison.

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U. S. Railways Alleged to Be
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Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 13.—That the trunk lines are charging a higher rate for the shipment of wheat than for flour is the substance of the complaint under investigation here by Special Examiner Mackley, of the interstate commerce commission.

Eighteen railroads are defendants in the dispute, the complaining corporation is the Federal Milling Company, of Lockport, N. Y. The specific charge alleges a discrimination in favor of the flour manufacturers of Minneapolis and other millers in the northwest.

The railroad rate on wheat from western points to Chicago is nearly two cents higher per hundred pounds than the rate on flour. Inasmuch as wheat is grown west of Chicago, the eastern corporations claim discrimination in favor of the western flour manufacturer.

The railroads listed in the complaint are: New York Central, Pennsylvania, West Shore, Lake Shore, Illinois Central, Lackawanna, Erie, Baltimore & Ohio, Lehigh Valley, Minneapolis, St. Paul & Northern Pacific, Chicago & North Western, Chicago & Burlington & Quincy, Chicago & Western, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha, St. Louis, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha and the Rock Island.

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TIMBER LAWS AND LABOR.

The Forestry Act of British Columbia designated by the government as "the last word in timber legislation" has been the subject of frequent encomiums from visitors and experts who have examined its provisions. The encomiums, however, being, unfortunately, to the provisions respecting safeguards against fire and other forest devastation. They have never been spoken, nor can they be rightly made, respecting the economic features of the laws governing the licensing of timber areas. These, as can be shown, are as far from being prudent or even enlightened as it is possible to frame legislation. The terms and conditions under which more than 15,000 square miles of the timber resources of the province have been alienated are such as to place control of the wages of laboring men in the province at the mercy of the timber barons for many years if not for generations. The wage-earning classes of British Columbia have a grudge against the McBride administration which should last them throughout their natural lives unless the conditions are altered by the enactment of wage legislation.

It will readily be conceded that the timber industries of the province, in their various forms, will be, next to mining, for a long time, the chief occupation in which wage-earners may hope for employment. The wage scale established by these chief industries will determine, to a great extent, the wages paid in other manual occupations.

The Times has shown that the alienation of 15,000 square miles of the timber areas of the province and the enactment of legislation amending the Timber Act, so that licensees of timber areas must compete in the open market for licenses, has placed the present owners of timber in control of the timber resources. No one who is compelled to pay more than \$100 per annum for every square acre of timber limits can hope to compete successfully against those who have obtained their interests for that sum. Thus competitive manufacturing industries being handicapped from the initial step there will be no competitive industries established. The expansion of the timber manufacturing industry must be determined by those who now own resources or those to whom these may sell. These are the corporations, therefore, who will fix the wage scale for the timber industries and by means of the schedule established in one industry, control the wage market in others.

There is, then, no phase of the future development of the industrial activities of the province that has not been crippled by the bungling and inept legislation of the McBride government. It is not enough that an enormous extent of the timber wealth of the province should have been disposed of for a mere fraction of its initial worth. It is not enough that possession of vast areas of timber has been given on terms which will require the lapse of more than a century before the present worth of the timber has been paid into the treasury. It is not enough that a large percentage of the revenue derived from this foolish disposition of timber must—by the terms of the same act—be expended in conserving the timber for those to whom it has been alienated. It is not enough that the treasury has been despoiled of its rightful recompense for the timber but the men who must engage in the conversion of this forest wealth into merchantable wares are to be handicapped, cheapened and possibly enslaved, by the very legislation through which the first public wrong was committed.

The legislation of the McBride government has been throughout such as works out in practice to the advantage

of corporations, trusts and friends of the government. The resources of the province have been unconsciously expropriated by the owners of alienated resources have shown the way of conservation. The lands of the province have been alienated and the stranger has no place to plant his foot without paying tribute to some syndicate or speculator who has seized the opportunities created for his enrichment and possessed himself of the best tracts of land. Added to all this is the fact that the wages of future generations are under the control of the timber barons and trusts and the outlook for the working man is not encouraging.

We think laborers throughout the province should ponder these things. When the heyday of present prosperity is over they may find themselves at the mercy of corporations none too friendly to their claims for just treatment and ensconced behind powers conferred by a government whose only claim to the confidence of the wage-earner has been a series of betrayals.

MEASURABLY OUT OF POLITICS.

Writing upon the speech of Sir Wilfrid Laurier at Marquette, the correspondent of the Toronto Star says:

"Sir Wilfrid has taken upon himself the task of convincing the Quebec electorate that a Canadian contribution to the imperial navy is essential. That action on his part brought him his first big defeat in his own province since the seventies and it contributed to some considerable extent in his downfall of last September. Undeterred, he is going on with the work. There will be no attempt, either made or countenanced by him, to make political capital in Quebec, should Mr. Borden decide to double the Laurier navy. That was what the Marquette meeting was for, to show Quebec, and outside of Quebec, Canada, that the scheme of imperial assistance has nothing of narrow, sectarian, or radical criticism to fear from the Liberal leader, that within certain limits the Canadian navy will be taken out of politics."

This is in marked contrast to the attitude taken by Hon. R. L. Borden when the Laurier naval policy was made a partisan issue and projected into the political arena in order to capture the Quebec Nationalist vote. Only a man as big and patriotic as Sir Wilfrid Laurier could thus heap coals of fire on the leader of the government. The revenge is ample.

BRITISH POLITICAL SITUATION.

The frequent cable dispatches from London intimating that there are dissensions in the cabinet of the Asquith government with the results of recent bye-elections have prepared the way for the credulous reception of declarations by Unionist visitors to Canada that the end of the Liberal administration is in sight, and the time not far distant when the Unionists will be again in power. It is the history of governments in Great Britain, at least in recent years, that, with the progress of events, they lose electoral strength. Yet it is useless to deny that there has been a strain on the cordial relations between the Labor party and the Asquith government, and in spite of the radical legislation with which the government is to be credited. Two of the recent bye-elections were contested by independent Labor candidates, while Middleham was lost to the Unionist on account of a three-cornered fight in which Liberals might have elected a strong ally but for the determination to fight a straight Liberal contest.

Another cause of weakness has been that the foreign policy of the government has not met with the approval of the humanitarian radicals. The understanding arrived at with Russia and the failure to protect the independence of Persia have created lukewarmness even among Liberals, though the effect of such alienation can be better estimated in England than in Canada.

The government has shown itself active in reform, and its progressive measures have aroused great hostility in reactionary camps whether Unionist or Liberal. These, with the ecclesiastical and political opposition to Home Rule, have given rise to a feeling of uneasiness which, being interpreted, is expressed in a prophecy of the early defeat of the government.

We have seen no more conservative review of the situation than that given by James Keir Hardie, M. P., the veteran Labor parliamentarian, in an interview accorded to the Toronto Star. Though Mr. Hardie is now but a private member, his long parliamentary experience enables him to see through much haze, and his analysis of the prevailing conditions in the British political atmosphere is singularly free from partisanship or bias.

Mr. Hardie thinks that, should integration of the present government take place, there will be formed a coalition government made up of the most radical Liberals, the least reactionary of the Unionists and a strong following of unattached but progressive political leaders throughout the United Kingdom. In arriving at this conclusion Mr. Hardie travels along a line of fine logic deduced from the more recent political developments. He says:

"The relations between Liberalism and Labor may be thus summarized. In the House we are generally able, while retaining our independence, to give a general support to the government policy, except in regard to their

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naval expenditure and their foreign policy. To both of these we are strongly opposed. The former is quite needlessly extravagant, and the latter quite anti-Canadian. In the country we act wholly independently of the Liberal party in every way. During the past twelve months, we have contested eight bye-elections against the Liberals.

"You must remember that a very interesting situation is developing within the Liberal party itself. At the time of the Boer war, Imperialism, as a movement in the councils of the party, and a Liberal Imperialist League was formed by Lord Rosebery, Mr. Asquith, Sir Edward Grey and others. Then in 1906 a House of Commons, which was strongly Radical in composition, was elected, and the late King had no option but to send for Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, who formed a government which was Radical and anti-Imperialist. But times have changed. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman died, and Mr. Asquith succeeded him as premier, and every vacancy which occurs in the government is filled up by the appointment of an Imperialist.

"At the present moment, the Imperialists absolutely dominate the government and the Liberal party. For some time Winston Churchill worked with Lloyd George in the cause of democracy. But now Churchill has gone over, bag and baggage, to the Imperialists. And Mr. Lloyd George is the sole democrat in the cabinet, with the exception of Lord Morley, whose advanced age precludes him from exerting his due influence over the Imperial policy of his colleagues.

"Lloyd George is certainly in a position of isolation. If he withstands the pressure of his cabinet colleagues on matters of naval and foreign policy he will then lose what confidence the working classes may still have in them. Lloyd George would, no doubt, be allowed to remain and dole out certain instalments of social reform, provided he would acquiesce in the navy scare, and the anti-German scare, and the rest. But, in that case, he would lose the confidence of the working classes."

Mr. Hardie does not credit the Asquith government with sincerity in the proposed Home Rule legislation, yet he believes the Irish Nationalist vote of such importance that he asserts the Unionists would even give Home Rule to secure it. Should an election be forced before 1914 he thinks the Liberals would lose, and the Unionists gain, control of the House of Commons as far as party majority could control parliament. But as neither of these could muster enough strength to control the House he predicts a coalition. This, he says, would at first have some spurious pretence of strength, as it would rally to itself a large number of "monopolists of every kind," of which there are many in both the Liberal and Unionist parties. But Mr. Hardie does not think such a government could last. He declares:

"The social conscience of the Old Country has at length, as never before, been awakened. The working classes are alive, as never before, to their own strength and their own interests. I should look to Mr. Lloyd George in such an eventuality to lead the party of social reform. There is a tremendous number of young, earnest radicals—you may call them 'unconscious Socialists' if you like, though it is the practice, not the theory, of politics for which they are strong—who would flock to his standard."

Mr. Hardie's deductions throw an interesting light on the almost superhuman efforts that are being put forth by political parties in both the Mother Country and Canada to develop the sentiment of "Imperialism" in the overseas dominions.

The Toronto Telegram always was oracularly radical, but on the question of knighthoods it is particularly so. It says: "It is not good for the institution of knighthood that the ranks of Canada's nobility should be almost exclusively recruited from this nation's surplus of reactionary politicians, of corporation magnates or of judges who never did anything to draw their salaries. The King is represented in the bestowal of knighthoods as a monarch who recognizes services which the people ignore and ignores services which the people gratefully recognize. The explanation is that the King has no more to do with the bestowal of knighthoods than he has with the distribution of L.L.D.'s." Since we have a home-grown knight in British Columbia, no native son will agree with this opinion. Sir Richard's knighthood is the reward of honest toil.

WANT GOVERNMENT TO VALIDATE TAX SALES

A Deputation From South Vancouver Interviewed Executive This Morning

A delegation composed of Reeve Kerr, of South Vancouver, Councillors Elliott, Third, Thomas and Robinson, accompanied by Councillor Loustett of North Vancouver, and Clerk Farmer, met the executive in the provincial buildings this morning to again ask the government to validate all tax sales which have taken place in the two municipalities during past years. The particular case which came under discussion was the Anderson tax sale suit, which was won by Anderson, who consequently now holds title to land which for years he had lost unclaimed.

Premier McBride, in answering the delegation, said that a delegation had met the government during the last session of the legislature to ask for an act validating these tax sales, but at that time he had advised them to await the action of the Privy Council. He argued that any action by the government at that time would have been unconstitutional, and had the government interfered it might have injured or destroyed the efficiency of the courts. Now that the case had been decided by the Privy Council he wished to impress upon the delegation that should an act be passed by the legislature it would have to include all similar sales in British Columbia. A measure of this kind would present many difficulties but he promised to bring the matter before the cabinet at their next full meeting, which would not be for three or four weeks, and every consideration would be given the matter.

ARCHITECTS' BILL.

Registration Bill Has Been Prepared and Approved—Enactment Sought Next Year.

The registration bill for architects which was discussed at the recent meeting of the B. C. Society of Architects in this city has been further advanced by a meeting held in Vancouver, at which the Vancouver and Victoria chapters were represented. The draft bill for submission to the next session of the legislature was approved, while another matter which came before the conference was a by-law to regulate the profession in the province. It is practically a code of ethics for the members of the profession, regulating professional charges and contracts.

With medicine, the bar, pharmacy, land surveying, and dentistry protected by statute, and under governing bodies which control the professions, the architects are determined to seek the relief of the legislature from competition which they consider unfair.

DEVONIANS FOREGATHER.

Met Major Morrison-Bell at Meeting Last Night.

Last evening the newly formed Devonian Association were guests of the Camosun Club, to meet their distinguished M. P. Major Morrison-Bell, who has been travelling Canada with Rt. Hon. Walter Long's party. H. Maynard was in the chair at the informal gathering, who first heard the views of A. Wilson, of Weyburn, Sask., on the remedial measures that are necessary in his opinion for the betterment of farming interests of that province. He strongly emphasized the need of Canada exporting her own flour and thus obtaining a cheap feeding "shorts" for home consumption.

W. J. Dart introduced Major Morrison-Bell to the Devonians present, describing him to carry back to the Old Country their expressions of warm regard for "Glorious Devon" and its characteristic institutions—and also their sympathy at the dire distress that had overtaken the farmers of the Old Country this season.

Major A. C. Morrison-Bell, who was warmly received, touched on the pleasant journey he had through Canada, and the reunion with many old Canadian comrades of the South African campaign. He was told on coming to Canada to never mention the subject of Home Rule, as Canada had quite made up its mind on the matter. This view he found to be entirely wrong, and nothing short of a pious fraud. He knew Canadians well enough to know that, however much some of them may differ from him, they would be the last to resent the expression of his own view.

He then rapidly sketched the present attitude of the Nationalist party with their statements of twenty years' standing of most consistent and bitter disloyalty to "poor Old England," who was going to be allowed to pay the piper.

Quoting F. E. Smith's argument, he declared that if the statements of the Nationalist to-day were to be taken as sincere and believed as such, it could only be done by frankly disbelieving everything they had been saying for the last twenty years. If there was any truth in their claims of disloyalty now, then there could be nothing but untruth in their boasts of disloyalty yesterday and vice versa. They could not have it both ways.

Major Morrison-Bell gently chaffed one or two interlopers who disputed the even flow of his eloquence, but on conclusion of his speech good fellowship and harmony ruled the day.

A few toasts were drunk and Major Morrison-Bell left to catch the night boat for Vancouver with a salvo of ringing cheers from lusty Devon lugs and a "tiger" from the club.

W. A., S. P. C. A. Meeting.—A special meeting of Women's Auxiliary, S. P. C. A. was held at the Alexandra Club on Monday, the president, Mrs. J. A. Macdonald, in the chair. The secretary of the house show, George Sangster, attended the meeting and expressed his willingness to assist the ladies in their efforts to raise money for the society. An arrangement was made by which a percentage of the

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takings of the evening on Tuesday, September 24, is to be handed to the W. A., S. P. C. A. The ladies promised to try to dispose of tickets for the boxes, and to secure a good attendance on that occasion, when some interesting items will be included in the programme.

Healey Arbitration.—The Healey Arbitration case having been suspended in its hearing so far as the arbitrators are concerned, and the offer of the owner to take \$45,000 for 88 acres and some waterfront privileges having

been referred to a city council committee for consideration, the case goes to the supreme court again to-morrow for argument on legal points which have arisen in the course of the arbitration proceedings. This case, which has been most fruitful of litigation, does not seem yet to be within reach of settlement.

Building Permits.—Building permits have been granted to Mrs. Williamson for a house on Richmond avenue, costing \$770; Mrs. Isabella Ann Smith for a house on Hamlet street, costing

\$1,000; A. Bianco, for a shed on Lady-smith street; Masashi Homa, of Finlayson street, for a three-roomed house, costing \$200; and Mrs. F. Watson for two houses on Brooke street, costing \$2,250 each.

Pacific Great Eastern Meeting.—The principal officials of the new Pacific Great Eastern railway are in the city for the annual meeting of the company to be held at the offices, Royal Bank chambers, this afternoon. Reports and other statements are to be presented to the shareholders.

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Daughters of Scotland.—The Daughters of Scotland will hold their first social and dance of the season at the Foresters' hall, Broad street, next Friday night at 8.30 o'clock. Miss Angus' orchestra will be in attendance.

Saturday Not Sunday.—Alderman Beard wishes a statement that he took a party, in company with other gentlemen, of Y. M. C. A. boys for an automobile spin on Sunday corrected. It should have read Saturday instead of Sunday.

Victoria Spiritualist Society.—The Victoria Spiritualist Society will hold its mid-week meeting at the K. of P. small hall to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. Questions will be answered pertaining to the Philosophy of Spiritualism and all new thought lines.

Arrange for Inspection.—At a meeting of the British Campaigners' Association to be held to-morrow evening at the Foresters' hall arrangements will be completed for the parade before His Royal Highness on Saturday week, and all who have taken part in an engagement under the British flag will be welcome. All active service men are invited to attend the parade.

Aged Women's Home.—The management of the Aged Women's Home desire to extend thanks to all who have so generously assisted them in the past and to request that they again remember their aged friends by donating now to the opening tea and sale of work. Goods for the latter will be gratefully received by Mrs. Simon Leiser and may be left at the home or sent to her residence, St. Charles street.

Farwell to Organizing Secretary.—The meeting of the Political Equality League which will take place this evening at the league rooms, 647 Fort street, will take the form of a farewell to Miss Dorothy Davis, who is starting on her organization trip throughout the provinces, and who will be absent for the next two or three months. A full attendance is requested, as new developments and details as to organization will be discussed.

Social Gathering of St. Saviour's.—The twenty-fourth anniversary of the beginning of St. Saviour's parish, Victoria West, will be celebrated by the congregation on Sunday next in connection with the Harvest Festival. Tonight the members of the congregation will meet in Semple's hall, Lansford street, for an hour or two of social intercourse. A programme of music has been prepared and refreshments will be served. A charge of twenty-five cents has been made to defray expenses. It is hoped that parishioners, old and new will do their utmost to be present and add another to the list of successful anniversary gatherings connected with the parish.

ALBERNI'S INCORPORATION.

Boundaries Will Not Include Property of Alberni Land Company.

Acting on the recommendation of Thornton Fell, who is a commissioner conducting an inquiry into the request of Alberni for incorporation, the executive council yesterday decided that as soon as the statutory formalities could be arranged the town should be raised to the dignity of an incorporated community.

The boundaries to be adopted are the same as those specified in the application of the town, with the exception that the land of the Alberni Land Company will not be included. The reason for this is that the land company is conducting a demonstration farm and it is felt that it would be unfair in the circumstances to bring this property within the scope of municipal taxation. After the surveyor-general has prepared a map of the area and the descriptions of the boundaries the proclamation will be drawn up by the provincial secretary and published in the B. C. Gazette.

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CHIPMAN AND THE BEAR.

Member of Geological Survey Had Exciting Experience.

Members of the Geological Survey who are in the city attending the semi-annual meeting of the Canadian Mining Institute have received additional particulars of the unfortunate meeting between Topographer Chipman and a grizzly bear in the Windermere district. It appears that Chipman was working in the brush with her cub, and as she was in a belligerent mood, he fired at her, wounding but not incapacitating her. The grizzly charged and Chipman retreated, but finding his progress retarded by the brush, sought safety in a tree. He was not quick enough, and the infuriated animal managed to claw one leg before he could draw it up. Ultimately the grizzly went away and Chipman was taken to Wilmer by members of his party. He is now in the hospital at Wilmer progressing satisfactorily. Mr. Chipman is well-known on Vancouver Island, where he assisted R. H. Chapman in his topographical work for several years.

SIR JAMES DOUGLAS SCHOOL.

Pressure on Accommodation Owing to Growth of Fairfield District.

The school board will be called upon to take into consideration at an early date the provision of more school accommodation at the Sir James Douglas school, Moss street.

The growth of the Fairfield district has created a condition of things which was not anticipated when the school was built, and the board will be compelled by way either of an annex or similar provision to relieve the situation.

There has been a good deal of feeling caused among the parents in that district at the location of the garbage sub-station on Woodlands avenue, near the school, for they appear to dread that its proximity might be dangerous in case of an epidemic.

Before determining on that site the health committee investigated every available place, and have turned down a petition to change it to another locality more remote from the school buildings.

FINLAYSON STREET.

Opposition to Widening Scheme at Price Asked by Owners.

Some time since the owners of land on Finlayson street petitioned for an extension of the street westward, but the council has found the expense of widening when land has to be expropriated as heavy as in other parts of the city.

There is bound to be opposition to spending the money there while other quarters nearer the centre of the city have to wait for improvements. Two or three of the owners are determined to push the proposal, but they will fail unless other persons are willing to donate the land required for the widening scheme.

COMMENCEMENT DAY.

Lieut. Governor Paterson Presents Shield for Singing Competition to South Park School.

Lieut. Governor Paterson yesterday presented his shield for a second time to South Park school, that school having won the senior trophy once again. The function took place in connection with the commencement day exercises, and several other awards were made at the same time.

Principal A. A. Campbell presided, and among the presentations were the High school certificates by Superintendent of Schools E. B. Paul, and the chairman of the board, George Jay, handed the association football cup to the winners. Trustee W. E. Staneland presented the Redfern medal for proficiency to Hazel McConnell.

Mrs. Jay presented the diploma for sewing to Gladys Croft as a representative of the third division, which had won it and Miss Boorman gave the special prize to Louise Eastman who has done the best work in the city schools. Miss Layson handed the certificates to the winners.

MAPPING VANCOUVER ISLAND.

Will Be Resumed by Geological Survey—Temporary Suspension.

The project of mapping out Vancouver Island undertaken by the Geological Survey several years ago, has not been abandoned. Mr. Brock, director of the survey, explained yesterday that the topography work has been temporarily suspended until the geologists have caught up with the topographers, the latter having got too great a lead on the others. Mr. Clapp, the geologist, is now on the island and doubtless his progress this season will enable the survey to resume its topographical operations next year.

The important work of investigating, mapping and reporting upon the geology and topography of Vancouver Island was initiated four years ago by Hon. Wm. Templeman, the federal minister of mines, who arranged with the United States government for the loan of an able topographer, R. H. Chapman, who spent several seasons on the work, assisted by Mr. Chipman. The latter is now in the hospital at Wilmer, Windermere, recovering from the results of an unhappy acquaintance with a grizzly bear.

A LUMBER ARCH.

Interesting Feature May Find Place On Route of Procession.

Designs are being prepared at the present time for the arches to be erected for the royal visit. As already intimated, there will be five in number, with the possibility of a sixth, although the actual positions have been slightly reversed, circumstances having arisen which necessitate a change in the locations. The address from the council to be presented on the day of arrival is being engrossed, and will be ready shortly. This will be handed to His Royal Highness at the Parliament buildings.

The sixth arch, which is in doubt, is that from the lumbermen. The Canadian Puget Sound mill has offered to contribute the undressed poles representing the trees of the province, and the other firms are looked for to contribute their share of the arch, which should be a memorable one, and a true exhibition of the timber wealth of Vancouver Island.

Delivery of material has already commenced, and a start will be made at once on their erection. So far as hunting is concerned, there is a shortage in the city, and merchants are finding a difficulty in filling orders for decorative purposes. The same situation applies in Vancouver.

DAUGHTERS OF EMPIRE.

Florence Nightingale Chapter Held Meeting Yesterday Afternoon.

Mrs. Hasell, the regent, presided at the meeting of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, Daughters of Empire, yesterday afternoon, eighteen members with vice-regents and officers being present. The regent opened the proceedings by welcoming the members in a few inspiring words, after which Mrs. J. C. Roper, Mrs. Mallard, Mrs. Alexander, Miss Bannister, Mrs. Morley, Miss Morley and Miss Johnson were introduced as new members. Mrs. J. L. Beckwith and Mrs. W. A. Jamieson were elected members of the Municipal Chapter, the motto of which was chosen as follows: "Except the Lord keep the city the watchman waketh but in vain."

The treasurer's report showed a balance of \$41. It was agreed to contribute equally with the other chapters towards the bouquets and bouquet-holders to be presented by the Daughters of the Empire in Victoria to the Duchess of Connaught and the Princess Patricia. It was further agreed to share the cost of the colors, should the various chapters decide to present these to the new regiment.

The prize to be offered by this chapter to those competing in the St. John's Ambulance demonstration before the Duke of Connaught was chosen to take the form of first-aid supplies. The date for the regular meeting of

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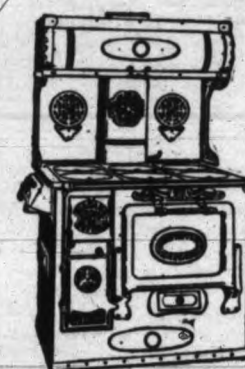
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the chapter was fixed for the third Monday in the month, at the Alexandra Club, and it was decided to invite the Rev. A. G. Miller to give an account of the history of the St. John's Ambulance movement at the next meeting on October 11, which will be Trafalgar Day.

Clubrooms Opened.—The St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society formally opened their clubroom premises in the Imperial bank chambers last Monday evening. Members and their friends are cordially invited to attend frequently.

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GERMAN LLOYDS' MAN CHARMED WITH TRIP

W. Witting Thinks Run Up Inside Passage is Great—Prince Rupert In

With fair weather prevailing throughout her trip to Prince Rupert, the G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. Barney Johnson, came into port early this morning. Although it has been raining considerably at the northern town of late, the Rupert happened to drop in on a fine day, and during her stay there the weather was clear. Light banks of fog were encountered coming south, but did not delay the ship.

W. Witting, travelling agent of the North German Lloyd Steamship Company, with headquarters at Chicago, was among those who made the round trip on the Rupert. This was the first visit of Mr. Witting to northern British Columbia, and he was particularly struck with the trip up the inside passage. He also thought that Prince Rupert possessed a magnificent harbor, and looks upon that town to become one of the leading ports in this province.

Other passengers on the Rupert were the following: G. Ker, of the railroad commission, who has been north on a combined business and pleasure trip, accompanied by Mrs. Ker; Angus Stewart, of Foley, Welch & Stewart, who left the vessel at Vancouver to do business there; Mr. and Mrs. George Naden, well known citizens of Rupert, who come south on a holiday trip; Dr. Bourne and C. Nelson, who made the round trip on the steamer.

The Rupert left this morning at 10 o'clock for Seattle, and she will sail from here to-morrow morning at the same hour for Prince Rupert. A number of passengers have been booked for the northern trip, and the Rupert will also have about 100 tons of cargo for Rupert.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS

From the Orient.	
Lord Derby	Sept. 23
Inaba Maru	Sept. 23
Mexico Maru	Sept. 23
Empress of Japan	Oct. 6
From Australia.	
Marama	Oct. 15
From Liverpool.	
Protestant	Sept. 28
From Mexico.	
Lonsdale	Oct. 28
From Antwerp.	
Crown of Galicia	Sept. 25
From New York.	
Frankmount	Sept. 27
For the Orient.	
Empress of India	Sept. 25
Yokohama Maru	Sept. 25
Mexico Maru	Oct. 5
For Mexico.	
Lonsdale	Sept. 20
For Liverpool.	
Titan	Oct. 2
For Australia.	
Zelandia	Oct. 2

COASTWISE STEAMERS

From San Francisco.	
City of Puebla	Sept. 18
Umatilla	Sept. 20
From Northern B. C. Ports.	
Prince Rupert	Sept. 23
Venture	Sept. 23
Prince George	Sept. 23
Vadso	Sept. 25
From Skagway.	
Princess Sophia	Sept. 24
For San Francisco.	
City of Puebla	Sept. 25
Umatilla	Oct. 2
For Skagway.	
Princess May	Sept. 20
For Northern B. C. Ports.	
Prince Rupert	Sept. 19
Prince George	Sept. 23
Venture	Sept. 25
Vadso	Sept. 25
For the West Coast.	
Tees	Sept. 20
For Nanaimo.	
Charmar	Sept. 24

The Blue Funnel liner Titan will get away from port to-morrow for Seattle. She is loading whale oil, salmon and general merchandise.



PLANNING A NAVAL RESERVE ON COAST

MASTERS AND SAILORS
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Merchant Service Guild Now
Considering Matter—Importance Attached to It

Plans for the formation of a naval reserve of masters, officers and seamen of the coasting steamers are now being carefully considered by the officials of the Merchant Service Guild of British Columbia. Many of the mariners operating out of this port have spoken favorably of the proposal, and although it has not taken any definite form yet, the Guild officials hope in a very short time to have an important announcement to make regarding the formation of the reserve.

The intention of the Guild is to have a reserve here so that in case war should arise between Great Britain and another country these mariners might be called upon to assist in the defence of the coast. The reserve would resemble very much the militia forces. Each year the mariners would be required to serve a short time, probably two weeks, in training, so that in the event of emergency they would be able to go into action immediately.

A reserve of coasting captains would be of great assistance to the British Admiralty, as with such difficult passages to navigate as are on this coast, the advice of a master in the reserve would be practically essential. It is expected that a large force of seamen could be enlisted in the reserve. Fishermen would be admitted in the rank of seamen, and with the rapid development of the fishing industry of this province there will be before long a large number of white fishermen on this coast.

The Guild will take up the matter with the minister of marine at Ottawa, making a suggestion that the reserve be formed. The Guild has also under its consideration at the present time the matters of the nautical assessors and the blocking of the Maude Island channel. Both these matters have been taken up with the minister of marine, but the replies have been slow in coming.

EXPECT LORD DERBY IN PORT ON FRIDAY

Weir Freighter Given 17 Days
to Reach Victoria From
Orient

Included in the cargo being brought across the Pacific from the Orient by the steamship Lord Derby, under charter to the Weir line, are 2,000 barrels of cement and a large shipment of grain bags for Victoria. It is expected that the Lord vessel will be here on Friday, but as she is a tramp and considerable heavy weather has been reported on the Pacific by mail steamships arriving in the last few days, the Derby may be a day or two late. She has been allowed 17 days to arrive on Friday.

The Derby will be the first Weir boat to call here since the Oric came in about two months ago. The Hercules, the last of the line's ships to come from the Orient, proceeded to Sound ports and put off the local cargo at Vancouver. This will be the first visit of the Derby to Victoria, and after discharging here she will proceed to Seattle.

No word has been received by the local agents of the Canadian-Mexican line as to when the Lonsdale, Capt. Bate, will clear from this port for Salina Cruz. She is still at one of the east coast coaling ports. The cargo she is taking south will consist principally of coal.

OIL RATE WAR PREDICTED.

Steamship Romany Reached Seattle
With Benzine From Singapore—
Trouble Ahead.

Seattle, Sept. 18.—Firing the first shot in what is declared to be a trade war between the Standard Oil Company and the Indian Refining Company and incidentally opening a new port on Puget Sound, the British steamship Romany Monday put in at Richmond beach, a few miles out of Seattle, to

land 600,000 tons of benzine from the Far East worth \$175,000.

Most of the cargo on the Romany was transferred in Singapore and had its origin in the wonderfully rich oil fields in Sumatra and Borneo, which it is said by experts soon would be producing a large proportion of the world's supply. It is understood that whatever the outcome of the war between the Rockefeller interest and their new rival may be, the Romany's coming presages the regular arrival of a big line of oil tankers at Richmond beach, which gradually would be developed into a port of importance.

TRAVEL TO 'FRISCO PICKS UP ONCE MORE

Forty-Five Passengers Joined
Umatilla Here To-day—
—Was Sold Out

Again this morning the local agents of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company announced to a Times' representative that they had sold out all their space on the regular Wednesday morning steamship leaving here for San Francisco. The Umatilla, Capt. Reilly, cleared this morning for the Golden Gate and she had all her staterooms utilized. Several persons were refused tickets here, and the same conditions prevailed at Vancouver and Seattle offices.

When the City of Puebla sailed last Wednesday morning she had rather a light list, there being a number of vacant rooms on her, and it was thought that the rush of people south had come to a close. The sailing of the Umatilla to-day, however, showed that there is still a large number of people desirous of taking passage to the Golden Gate. The agents also stated to-day that they had sold all space allotted to them on the steamship President sailing from Seattle on Friday night.

Forty-five passengers joined the steamship at this port, including the following: Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. A. Martin, F. H. Folsom, George A. Anderson, Miss M. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Lytton, Mrs. A. Langley and son, Miss J. Glarup, Miss A. Glarup, Miss V. Glarup, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Glarup, Miss K. Kirschbrum, I. Kirschbrum, Mrs. Wetland, son and daughter, and Charles Smith.

The steamship City of Puebla, Capt. Paulsen, which arrives here to-morrow night from San Francisco, has 240 tons of general freight for Victoria.

'FRISCO MARINE NEWS.

Northumbria Taken by Waterhouse to
Load on Sound for Orient—Other
Charters.

San Francisco, Sept. 18.—The British steamer Northumbria, due at San Diego from Japan, has just been chartered by Waterhouse & Co. to load on the Sound for Japan and China at \$16, with the option of loading at San Francisco and the Sound for Australia at \$8.30.

The steamer Strathmore arrived Sunday night from Norfolk with government coal. She is under charter to the Pacific Export Lumber Company to load lumber at Portland, or the Sound, for China or Calcutta at 7s.

The British steamer Aberlour, whose charter by Balfour, Guthrie & Co. at 50s. for wheat from the Sound to the United Kingdom. It is expected that she will be taken on the voyage over to bring sugar from Java, for account of the B. C. Refining Company.

The British steamer Queen Elizabeth will arrive at Victoria shortly with sugar from Java, and the Auchendale is now loading at Java on the same business, both of these being under charter to the American Trading Company to load lumber on the Sound for Australia.

The British steamer Italis, which arrived Sunday from the north with coal for the Western Fuel Co. is under charter to J. J. Moore & Co. to load lumber on the Columbia river for Port Pirie.

The steamer Melville Dollar left Sunday for Portland, having been chartered to load lumber there for San Pedro. The steam schooner Shina Yak has been chartered for lumber from the Sound to this port at \$5.00. The

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MANY LARGE LINERS ARRIVE AT 'FRISCO

Busy Day on Bay City Water-
front Yesterday—Ships
Come From Many Parts

San Francisco, Sept. 18.—Yesterday was the banner day for the arrival of big vessels. The Japanese liner Tenyo Maru started the list, arriving just after midnight from the Orient. At day-break the Matson liner Wilhelmnia arrived from Honolulu, and before noon the German tank steamer Buf, of the Standard Oil Company Line, from Hongkong.

The Harrison liner Politician from Puget Sound, the collier Thor, from Union Bay, the American-Hawaiian liner Nevada from Portland, and the salmon ships Star of Chile and Indiana from Alaska had all dropped anchor in port. The Nevada leaves port for Salina Cruz Saturday and the Politician for London and Liverpool next week.

The British steamer M. S. Dollar arrived this morning from Karatsue and will leave for the Sound next week to load a return cargo of lumber. The schooner E. B. Jackson sailed from Valparaiso yesterday for Gray's Harbor, sailing just before chartered to load lumber at the latter place for Callao at 65s.

The schooner W. H. Talbot, which arrived on Puget Sound yesterday from Duxedin, N. Z., is under charter to Duffour, Guthrie & Co. to load lumber for Valparaiso at 60s., and the schooner Willis A. Holden, which arrived on the coast yesterday from Antofagasta, is under charter to W. R. Grace & Co. to load for Valparaiso at 62s. 6d.

WIRELESS REPORTS

8 a. m.
Pt. Grey—Hazy; W. light; 30.20 54.
Cape Lazo—Cloudy; N. W.; 30.22 51;
sea smooth. Spoke Spokane 8.30 p. m.;
Seymour Narrows, southbound.
Tatoosh—Cloudy; W.; 22 miles; 30.21 58.
Pachena—Cloudy; N. W.; 30.35 50;
light swell. Spoke Teek, 2.25 a. m.; left
Clo-oose, due 4 p. m.
Estevan—Cloudy; N. W.; strong; 29.76 53.
Spoke Yokohama Maru 9.30 p. m.;
position at 8 p. m., 48.56 N. 128.55 W., 105
miles from Estevan, eastbound.
Ikeda—Cloudy; calm; 30.07 52;
smooth.
Dead Tree Point—Overcast; calm;
smooth; In, British Empire, 7 p. m.;
out again 2.30 p. m.
Noon.
Point Grey—Clear; wind S. W.;
30.11; 62.
Cape Lazo—Cloudy; wind S. W.;
30.16; 62. Mariposa abeam at 10.30
a. m. northbound; Prince Albert
abeam at noon northbound; Jefferson
through Seymour Narrows at 11.30
p. m., southbound.
Tatoosh—Part cloudy; wind West;
30.21; 60; sea moderate. In, Yoko-
hama Maru at 10.45 a. m.
Pachena—Clear; wind N. W.; 30.00;
52; sea moderate.
Estevan—Cloudy; wind N. W.; 29.78;
53; light swell. Quadra at Clayoquot;
Leebro at landing.
Ikeda—Cloudy; wind N. W.; 30.06;
58; sea moderate.
Prince Rupert—Heavy rain; wind
S. E.; 30.20; 50; sea moderate.
Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; sea
smooth.

NEW TRIPLE SCREW SHIP.

South American Shipping Co. Orders
New Liner in View of Opening
of Canal.

Hamburg, Sept. 18.—The South American Shipping Company has given orders for the construction of a second big triple screw steamer, in view of the prevailing boom in connection with the near approach of the opening of the Panama Canal. The company today decided to increase its capacity by \$2,500,000.

A rifle bullet may be fired through a pane of glass, making a hole the size of the ball without cracking the glass. If the glass be suspended by a thread it will make no difference, and the thread will not even vibrate.

NIPPON LINER DOCKS AFTER ROUGH VOYAGE

Yokohama Maru Came in at 4
o'clock This Afternoon—
Week Delayed in Orient

Shortly before 4 o'clock this afternoon the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Yokohama Maru, Capt. Noda, arrived in port, completing her second trip from the Orient. The big steamship was here to off William Head at 3 o'clock to permit the quarantine officials to inspect her. An hour later she was berthed at the outer docks and the stevedores commenced their big task of removing 1,200 tons of cargo from her holds. The Maru will be in port until late to-morrow afternoon, as it will take considerable time to remove the freight, which is stowed in three batches.

The Yokohama was a week late docking here owing to the fact that she was detained at Nagasaki, owing to a case of cholera having been discovered aboard. There has been an outbreak of the infectious disease in the Orient and a number of the ships coming here have carried passengers who have had symptoms of the cholera. Capt. Noda tried to bring the Yokohama in earlier but heavy weather was encountered and she was delayed. From the Japanese coast to the Meridian much dirty weather was experienced.

In the saloon the Yokohama brought quite a number of passengers and in the steerage there were several hundred Orientals, 100 of whom disembarked here. Included in the cargo for Victoria are large shipments of tea, curries, porcelain, matting, peanuts, soy, sake, miso, rice, sugar, furniture and general merchandise.

Minnesota's Big Cargo.
Making her freight record for three recent voyages \$4,568 measurement tons, the Hill liner Minnesota has left the Sound with 22,448 tons of valuable cargo stowed in her holds. This cargo, which in itself is an unprecedented amount to take to sea for any vessel ever built from the time of Noah to the day of the present 50,000-ton Leviathans, is altogether additional to 4,700 tons of bunker coal, 2,300 tons of fresh water and a large number of passengers.

On her second last voyage the Minnesota took off 21,148 tons of freight, and on the voyage before that 20,637 tons, and each of these mammoth cargoes was the greatest that till then had been transported on a single steamship. Included in the Minnesota's cargo are 4,294 weight, or 4,890 measurement tons of flour, which is contained in 600,000 sacks; 8,000 tons of wheat, the biggest individual wheat cargo ever dispatched from Puget Sound; 1,400,000 feet of lumber, taken mainly from Ballard and the Schwager & Nettleton mill in the West Waterway, and 300 tons of perishables to be taken in the liner's refrigerating chambers. There also is a large amount of provisions for victualing the vessel.

AIDS TO NAVIGATION

(188) Chatham Sound; entrance to Prince Rupert; Holland Island; light-house under construction; temporary light: Former notice—No. 78 (197) of 1908. Lighthouse under erection—A permanent lighthouse and fog alarm building are in course of erection on the southerly of the two heads forming the rock. Position—Lat. N. 54 deg. 10 min. 19 sec.; long. W. 130 deg. 21 min. 42 sec. Light discontinued—To mark room for the lighthouse foundations, it has been necessary to remove the occulting gas beacon from the summit of the rock. Temporary light—Pending construction of the buildings, a temporary fixed white oil light will be exhibited from a lens lantern suspended from a point where it will be visible from all points of approach.

From San Francisco the steam schooner Hornet arrived in port yesterday afternoon. She has several hundred tons of asphalt for this port.

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WILL NOT RESORT TO FORCE IN MONGOLIA

China's Acting Premier Says Government Will Rely on Existing Treaties

Peking, Sept. 18.—The national assembly passed yesterday a resolution pledging its support to the government in the conclusion of any reasonable loan plans. The minister of finance acknowledged that it was impossible to obtain the requisite loan outside of the six-power group of bankers. The minister hoped that the foreign bankers would waive or modify their demands for foreign supervision of the salt tax, and declared that should the loan materialize, the government was confident that remarkable progress and prosperity throughout the country would follow.

Private cablegrams received here say that \$2,500,000 of the \$50,000,000 loan negotiated in London on August 30 by the Chinese minister and an independent British bank has been paid to the Chinese republic.

At the secret meetings of the assembly, Acting Premier Chao Ping Chung explained the government's policy in Tibet and Mongolia. Referring to Mongolia, he declared that it was useless to attempt to settle the question by military force. China's best policy, he said, was to rely on existing treaties. When the Sino-Russian question had been cleared the situation, he said, would assume a domestic aspect, which would be much more simple to handle.

With regard to Tibet, the acting premier considered it best to permit the Dalai Lama to resume his former functions. This government, he added, already had ordered the return of an expedition headed by a Chinese commissioner, who was sent to Lhasa, the Tibetan capital, recently, to explain to the Tibetans republican principles and also to emphasize the fact that the Chinese government had no intention of altering Tibet's administrative system.

The Chinese Loan.

London, Sept. 18.—Representatives of the bankers interested in the loan to China, which was signed here in August, deny the report that they have been defeated by the six powers banking syndicate. A. Wendell Jackson, an American, who arranged the agreement in an interview said: "The Chinese government has no intention whatever of repudiating the \$50,000,000 loan. The Chinese minister in London, acting on instructions from the Chinese government, has informed the British foreign office that the \$50,000,000 loan has been accepted, officially, by China. The British minister at Tokio, Sir John A. Jordan, has been authorized by China to inform the British government to the same effect. Important money payments are already being made to the Chinese government under the terms of the independent loan contract."

TWO PERISH IN FIRE IN HOTEL

Officials Investigate Circumstances Surrounding Death of Woman and Her Father

South Bend, Wash., Sept. 17.—Mrs. W. A. Davis, 80 years old, and her father, C. D. Osborne, 72, are dead and the Germania Hotel in ruins as the result of a fire which started in the office at 2 o'clock yesterday morning.

Mrs. Davis, according to the husband's story, first discovered the fire in their hall and asked him to awaken roomers on the floor above. As the office was in flames, Davis broke a back window and went upstairs and alarmed all the roomers, who escaped. Coming down again, he tried to get back to the room occupied by himself and his wife, but was overcome by smoke, and became unconscious. Mrs. Davis, evidently overcome by smoke, perished before she could make her escape, her body being found later. Osborne was found in his room, where he had attempted to dress.

There is a suspicion of foul play. The coroner who examined the bodies of Mrs. Davis and Osborne, found no sign of wounds or bruises and further examination of Davis will take place to-morrow.

ELECTION FIGURES.

Need of Redistribution Emphasized by Reports on Last Year's Polling.

Ottawa, Sept. 18.—The need of redistribution is emphasized in a blue book just issued by the clerk of the crown of chancery, giving the detailed reports of the general election a year ago. The vote in each poll is given.

As was shown by the census there will be a strong movement from the rural districts to the cities. The result is that some of the urban constituencies with a population of 100,000, have but one member, while rural constituencies with 10,000 population have equal representation. It has always been customary to concede a larger unit to the country district than to the city, but in any event the representation of the latter is bound to be increased. Malton, with 170,978, is the largest and Soulanges, the smallest of the constituencies, each with one member.

Montreal and Toronto both will have more members, and the same will apply to Winnipeg and Vancouver. In Quebec it seems likely that Soulanges will be added to Yaudreuil, L'Islet to Montmagny and possibly Laval to L'Assomption, while other constituencies may be united. In any event the province of Quebec will still have sixty-five members, what are cut off by unions of present seats being given to Montreal.

In Ontario, constituencies likely to be lopped off are one of the Simcoes, one of the Middlesexes, and one of the Hurons. North Lanark, possibly Leeds, and one or two others. The representation of New Ontario will be increased by two or three. Ottawa's representation is likely to remain as it is, save that the annexed suburbs will be added to the federal constituencies.

The figures show that out of 1,800,724 names on the list in Canada, 1,307,528 voted. In British Columbia fewer voters went to the polls, in proportion, than in any other province, only 43,557 out of 83,081 on the lists. The vote in the West was lighter than in the East. In Saskatchewan 32,943 voted out of 142,414, and in Alberta 69,775 out of 167,235. In Manitoba the proportion was a little larger, 77,694 out of 95,588.

STATE CONTROL OF TELEPHONES

London Times Suggests Appointment of Board of Directors.

London, Sept. 18.—The Times, in view of the deterioration which has taken place in the telephone service since it came under government control, advocates the abolition of the office of postmaster-general and the substitution of a board of directors, with a permanent chairman.

It is argued that the postmaster-general cannot master the details of such a vast concern during the life of a single government, and, moreover, regards the office merely as a stepping stone to promotion in the cabinet. The plan is that with a permanent chairman there should also be, as colleagues, a director of posts and a director of telegraphs, these to be assisted by five business men, who should receive substantial directors' fees, and who should be summoned to fortnightly meetings.

PLEAD NOT GUILTY.

New York, Sept. 18.—Harry Horowitz, alias "Gyp the Blood," and Louis Rosenzweig, alias "Lefty Louie," charged with being two of the four men who killed Herman Rosenthal, entered pleas of not guilty to indictments of murder in the first degree when arraigned to-day before Superior Court Justice Goff. The plea was made through their attorney. The accused men were remanded pending the naming of a date for their trial.

WRECK ON RAILWAY.

One Person Killed and Fifteen Injured.—Cars Fell Through Trestle. Cape Girardeau, Mo., Sept. 18.—One man was killed and fifteen persons, some of them women, were injured late yesterday when two coaches attached to a passenger train on the Hunter branch of the Frisco system, running about twelve miles an hour, crashed through a trestle near Chonola, Mo., about 40 miles south of this city. The cars were occupied by performers and animals of a dog and pony show, of which the dead man, Harry Lamont, of St. Elmo, Ill., was proprietor.

NEW CATHEDRAL DEDICATED.

Wichita, Kas., Sept. 18.—Headed by His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons, dignitaries of the Catholic church from all parts of the United States were here to-day to attend the dedication of St. Mary's cathedral, said to be the finest church edifice in the southwest. The ceremonies, which began this morning with Cardinal Gibbons as officiating prelate, Bishop John J. Hennessy, of Wichita, celebrant of the mass, and Archbishop John J. Glennon, of St. Louis, as orator of the occasion, were to continue two days. The cathedral, which is in Romanesque Renaissance style, was erected at a cost of \$250,000, exclusive of furnishings.

SUES MAYOR GAYNOR.

New York, Sept. 18.—Mayor Gaynor was served yesterday with a summons in a \$100,000 libel suit brought against him by Alderman Curran, chairman of the aldermanic committee investigating graft in the police department. Curran alleges that the mayor made remarks derogatory to his character in connection with the investigation.

STEAMSHIP TRUST.

A British steamship "trust" seems to be in a fair way toward accomplishment through the acquisition of the controlling stock in various important lines by financiers connected with the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company. The purchases which have been effected by these interests include the Union Castle Line, Lamport & Holt Pacific Steam Navigation Company, the Forwood Line, the Elder Dempster Line, the Shire Line and other concerns, the total of which constitutes fully 1,200,000 tons of shipping. In these operations Sir Owen Phillips, the chairman of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, and Lord Pirie, who is also prominent as the head of the Harland & Wolf shipbuilding establishment at Belfast and as a factor in the International Mercantile Marine Company, are said to have taken leading parts. One of the most immediate effects has been to cause a decided upward movement in steamship company shares. In the London market, rumors being circulated that the plans of the combination include additional purchases, in which connection the Peninsular & Oriental Steam Navigation Company has lately figured extensively. A rise in the market quotations for the "P. & O." shares, as the company is commonly known, from \$50 to \$2,000 each, would seem to substantiate the talk of negotiations to the above end, although there is some doubt expressed in shipping circles whether the deal will be effected. It is to be noted that the heads of the combination do not seem inclined to follow the example of the International Mercantile Marine Company in forming a new holding company for the various properties they have acquired. The latter are apparently being operated separately and retain their full individuality. Still, the movement, resulting as it has already done, in concentrating the ownership of the steam lines between Great Britain, South Africa and South America, is a development of much importance at this juncture, when the world's trade is already experiencing a decided rise in rates for ocean freights with a marked scarcity of tonnage.—Bradstreet's.

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Jack Frost had the time of his life last winter. He warred against all elements and froze them stiff. Lakes and rivers he turned into solids; he also put a razor-like edge on the wind. He even bit into steel rails making them as brittle as burned glass. Outside, Jack reigned supreme, but his chilly majesty was licked to a frazzle inside by "The Understudy of the Sun"—McClary's "Sunshine" Furnace.

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TWILIGHT MOTION PICTURES

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

V. Croeder, of Vancouver, is staying at the Empress hotel.

C. N. Mortimer, of Winnipeg, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

V. W. Barrett, of Seattle, is staying at the Prince George hotel.

C. G. Fraule, of Thetis Island, is staying at the Empress hotel.

J. Bishop Putnam, of New York, is registered at the Empress hotel.

W. J. Porter, of Chemainus, has arrived at the King Edward hotel.

Mrs. Connor, of Vancouver, arrived at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

S. T. Crenshaw, of Port Alberni, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon, of Vancouver, are guests at the Dominion hotel.

G. Barr, of Toronto, is among the guests at the King Edward hotel.

E. Barwick, of Vancouver, arrived yesterday at the King Edward hotel.

Miss F. Huston, of Vancouver, is registered at the King Edward hotel.

S. S. Arnold, of Toronto, is among the guests at the King Edward hotel.

E. J. Fader, the well-known capitalist of New Westminster, Dr. Smith, president of the New Westminster Progressive Association, and Mr. C.



THE NEW PLEAT EFFECTS.

The pleats for 1919, so far as can be seen, are pressed flat and not especially even. The gown sketched here was made of navy blue soft-finish poplin, with the pleats forming the entire skirt and part of the waist. The opening in the blouse shows a lingerie vest with pleated frills of fine lace. Crystal buttons close the skirt and a large silver buckle is placed at the front of the girdle, which is made of bright cerise satin.



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BOURNE, also of the Royal city, are on a motor tour of the island.

G. H. Ewing, of Portland, Ore., is among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

A. de Sandorai, of Vancouver, is among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

R. C. Nelson, of San Francisco, arrived at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

W. Clark has arrived from Vancouver, and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

R. S. Connolly, of Vancouver, is among the guests at the Prince George hotel.

Col. W. W. Baker, of Crofton, arrived at the King Edward hotel yesterday.

P. L. Brown has arrived in the city from Toronto, and is registered at the Empress.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Wright, of Vancouver, are staying at the Dominion hotel.

Miss Edith Atkins and Miss Nellie Craft are visiting in Kamloops and Ashcroft.

George A. Webber arrived at the King Edward hotel yesterday from Vancouver.

G. E. Cooper is in town from Vancouver, and is a guest at the King Edward hotel.

A. F. Reid, of Seattle, has arrived in town, and is registered at the Prince George hotel.

C. H. Mackay has arrived in the city from Tacoma, and is staying at the Prince George hotel.

J. Morgan has arrived in the city from Vancouver, and is staying at the Empress hotel.

F. W. Mackenna has arrived from New York City and is staying at the Empress hotel.

S. B. Grogan has arrived from San Francisco, and is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

B. Stewart has arrived in the city from Vancouver, and is staying at the King Edward hotel.

Mrs. Scarlett has arrived in the city from Vancouver, and is staying at the King Edward hotel.

Mr. F. D. Sutherland, formerly city editor of "The Montreal Star," and

Mrs. Sutherland, are on a holiday trip to the coast.

W. E. Boyd and Major S. Campbell Johnson, of England, are staying at the King Edward hotel.

W. E. Fry arrived in the city yesterday from Seattle, and is staying at the King Edward hotel.

Mr. H. R. Grainger, keeper of records of the lands and forests department, and Mr. H. R. McMillan, chief forester, left for Vancouver Monday night upon an official trip. They expect to return on Thursday or Friday.

Mr. James Lawler, the secretary of the Canadian Forestry Association, who has been in Victoria for the past five weeks, looking after the arrangements for the recent successful forestry convention, left for Ottawa yesterday morning. On his way east he will deliver lectures upon forestry at Vancouver, Calgary, Regina and Winnipeg.

Col. Wadmore, D.O.C., of military district No. 11, left last night for Vancouver to take charge of the military arrangements in connection with the visit of H.R.H. the Governor-General to Vancouver. Lieut. Scudamore, of the 4th D.C.O.R., has been appointed to act as aide-de-camp. Capt. J. F. Foulkes, paymaster and head of the army service corps, left Monday night for Spence's Bridge to take charge of the transportation arrangements for the escort of the British Columbia Horse, which will accompany the royal visitors to the coast.

The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

The lady who always knows something had been cheering us up one rainy day by reading extracts from a letter telling in a most amusing way about a vacation trip which had turned out a complete fiasco.

"Isn't she brave to be able to laugh about it?" commented the lady as she folded up the letter. She only has two weeks to herself in the whole year, you know.

"And to think that if she had just come to the other place she would have met those friends with the automobile and had a wonderful time," commented Molly, the little stenographer lady. "Aren't things always happening like that? It seems to me that this would be a much better world if one could only do everything twice. We are always making mistakes about everything because we are always doing everything for the first time, and we naturally don't know any better. I think it would be fine if we were allowed to do everything twice—everything, I mean, going on vacations, and picking out clothes and getting married and bringing up children and—everything."

"You do have the chance to do everything twice if you want to enough," Molly said the man who thinks. "What do you mean?" asked Molly. "I mean that you can do everything twice if you'll be willing to do it vicariously the first time," said the man who thinks.

Molly cocked her head thoughtfully, while the wants-to-be-cynic ostentatiously offered her a dictionary. "Did you ever," went on the man who thinks, "did you ever yet do one of those foolish things that you have afterwards regretted and wanted to try over again, without having been strongly advised by someone who had travelled that same path not to do it? Now, for instance, just what were you

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thinking of when you spoke so strongly about wanting to have a second chance?"

"Why I was thinking about that vacation trip and about the blue dress I bought this spring that spotted so."

The lady who always knows something re-opened the letter. "Of course it was all my own fault," she read. "Everyone told me I wouldn't like that trip but I had some romantic ideas about it and I would go."

"And mother just begged me not to buy that dress," confessed Molly. "she said it would spot. She had one that did. But I thought mine would be different somehow."

"Somehow you thought yours would be different," mocked the man who thinks. "Oh, Molly, you've told the whole story in seven words. Somehow we always think our case will be

different." "By the way," said the lady who always knows something, "I think there's still another way we can do things twice and correct our mistakes."

"How?" said Molly.

"By helping the second generation to do them right," said the lady who always knows something.

"And so when we won't take older folks' advice they feel as if they were making the mistakes right over again," cried Molly. "Why I never thought of it that way. That's a very serious thought isn't it?"

"It is," said the man who thinks, and even the wants-to-be-cynic admitted guardedly, "it's quite worth thinking about."

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Importance of Mining

The first semi-annual general meeting of the Canadian Mining Institute opened this morning in the Board of Trade rooms with speeches of welcome by Sir Richard McBride, Hon. William Templeman, Mayor Beckwith and J. J. Shallocross, president of the Board of Trade. The president of the institute, Dr. A. E. Barlow, a prominent and widely-known geologist, H. Mortimer Lamb, secretary of the institute, were on hand to discharge the duties of their offices.

The Premier, in according the visitors a hearty welcome to this province, Sir Richard McBride said that British Columbia was one of the principal mining zones in the Dominion of Canada. He had no desire to make any comparisons that might reflect on the other provinces, yet he felt that, from the acknowledgment which had been made by mining engineers the future of the province with regard to its mineral resources was such as could not be ignored.

During the last few years special attempts had been made towards the consolidation of the laws regarding coal mines, and he thought that the authorities had presented a bill which not only protected the miners, but at the same time gave fair recognition to the mining companies.

The Coal Mines Regulation Act of this province had received acknowledgements not only from prominent men in the Old Land, but also from the States, commendable references had been made. He did not mean to say that the measure was perfect or that it stood for the last word in that particular class of legislation, but he thought it measurably in advance of anything of the sort that had ever been attempted in the country.

"It will interest all present to know," said the premier, "that W. Fleet Robinson, the provincial mineralogist, is expected to arrive any hour from his visit of inspection to the Groundhog district. In fact, I was advised that he would in all probability be present at this meeting. He was sent specially by the government to make a full and complete investigation into the coal deposits in that section, and his report will be presented very shortly. What has been said in the papers with regard to this district is already common knowledge, and from remarks by mining engineers there is reason to believe that these expectations will be more than realized and that the discovery will add another important coalfield to the mineral assets of the province."

With regard to metalliferous minerals, the premier remarked that he did not propose to go very much into detail in the short time at his disposal and to attempt to deal with statistics would, he thought, be superfluous. In Kootenay, he would like to say, however, the mining industry was taking on a new life, and the work that was going on there brought back memories and reminiscences of early exploitations. The prospects in the Stickeen

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Corby's of Corbyville Over Half a Century.

triot never looked better than at the present, while Rossland also had reported most encouragingly. In the Boundary country the work was proceeding apace, and on the coast line where the Granby people had taken up the work of development magnificently, the deposits had been discovered to be so valuable and so well proved that they were about to establish a smelter in order to develop on a large scale.

A Plea for Square Dealing. There was every reason to expect a good time coming, and he asserted that if the government could do anything to assist in the expansion and growth that seemed to be in the settled order of things they were ready to move at once in the matter. The premier exhorted all present to see that any companies formed for the purpose of exploiting the mineral wealth of the province were on a firm and sure foundation; that they were, in short, of a strictly legitimate character, and directed by honesty and fair dealing.

Fifteen or sixteen years ago companies had been promoted in British Columbia which had not the slightest chance of ever becoming paying propositions; when the collapse came the good name of the province suffered in consequence of the depredations of irresponsible persons.

"We ought to try," he continued, "to conserve a reputation in British Columbia for square dealing; to work only on the basis of actual facts."

He referred briefly to the Kamloops and Cariboo district where the miner pioneers were celebrating the jubilee of the early discoveries. Though death had laid its heavy hand upon the great majority of the pioneers, yet the people of this province would rejoice to know that still a goodly company had managed to gather together to commemorate their early struggles, and to renew old friendships made when they had been pathfinders in the arduous days of the opening up of the Cariboo road.

The department of mines had issued a pamphlet in which the story of the grand struggle was told convincingly yet concisely, and he hoped that it would form a very interesting souvenir to add to the large number which must already have been gathered together. He paid brief tributes to the past work of the president and secretary of the institute of mines, and trusted that the members would find their deliberations of the next few days fruitful of excellent results.

Hon. William Templeman.

Hon. Wm. Templeman expressed himself as extremely honored to be allowed the privilege of saying a word or two in connection with the mining institute, which organization he looked upon as the most important connected with this particular branch of labor in the Dominion. During his regime as minister in the federal house he had much to do with mining, and had conferred often and to good advantage with members of the mining institute.

With regard to the mining law, Mr. Templeman said that the bill was now ready. But for the unfortunate disturbance of political affairs that law would now have been an accomplished fact. He thought the measure would meet the views of the mining people of Canada, for it had been prepared by a committee of gentlemen who had studied the question profoundly in order to make it the last word in mining regulations. He appreciated extremely the work of the mining institute. It had been the power behind the throne, the power behind all the progressive movements in mining legislation which had ever been made.

He appreciated the presence in Victoria of the members of an institution which represented practically all the prominent engineers and geologists in the Dominion. As the premier has said, there was no industry so deserving of encouragement, and it behooved the province to do its level best to further that industry. Some of the gentlemen from the East were old friends of his, and he was anxious to extend whatever help either in their deliberations or in viewing the city that he possibly could.

The only regret that he had was that he had not been able to finish the work he had contemplated, and the work that he had in hand when in office. There was much still to be done that he would have liked to have done, but there were good mining men in the present government and they would no doubt see that everything that should be done was done.

The Mayor. Mayor Beckwith made a brief speech of welcome to the first gathering of its kind on the Pacific Coast, and thought the rendezvous a fitting one, as it was here that the old miners had assembled in the early days to go to the Cariboo country, and the southeastern portion of Vancouver Island had been a base of operations for many years. He could not speak with much authority on the subject of mining; and the only part that he had taken in it was that of helping to promote lithographic establishments. He expressed the cordial wish that the stay of the members of the institute in the city would be found to be helpful, and their meetings profitable.

J. J. Shallocross.

In extending a welcome to the Victoria board of trade, Mr. Shallocross said that the room they were in was accustomed to the discussion of public questions, and the present deliberations he hoped would be equally fruitful. He had been rather disappointed on reading the programme for the conference, that there had been no suggestion of discussion on "The High Cost of Living." He thought that the appreciation in the cost of gold had a great deal to do with the problem. He touched briefly on the importance of mining with regard to the prosperity or otherwise of a country, and showed how minerals "broadened the commercial aspect." The danger lay in a country which had only one great industry, such as Australia, with its sheep; Ireland, with its potatoes, and France, with its wines. He pointed out that minerals were not dependent upon favorable meteorological conditions as so many other forms of industry were, and anything that added to the prosperity of a country or at least helped to remove danger of retrogression was to be encouraged.

He proceeded to give some very accurate figures with regard to the minerals of British Columbia and pointed out that one-third of the minerals of

the Dominion came from British Columbia.

Mr. Shallocross said he hoped that they would be able to find another mineral, a most important one to-day, and that was oil. They all wanted oil for fuel, and also for use on the motor roads of the country.

The Chairman.

Dr. Barlow, in his introductory remarks, said they appreciated the fact that Canada was a huge country and that the members of the institute were widely separated, and their interests varied, so that it was essential that they should get together to discuss problems such as were coming before them during the present week. He referred briefly to the highly prosperous condition of the mining industry throughout the country, and showed how as one section of the country receded, another proceeded. In Nova Scotia, he regretted to say, gold mining was speedily declining, in spite of all the efforts to revive it. But they had more than made up for that with their coal, and he prophesied that this year's output would be the largest in history. In New Brunswick, iron, coal and gas were soon to be developed.

Some advance has been noticeable in Quebec, and he hoped that a few months would see the discovery of new mineral fields. Quebec produced seventy-five per cent of the world's asbestos, and the industry was going steadily forward—another example of the fact that it was impossible to kill a good industry. Quebec also had the largest copper mine in the country. Ontario had now taken the premier place among the provinces in the matter of mineral output and resources. Able and intelligent prospectors were covering the high territory, and Ontario's production for this year would be forty millions.

The advance of the coal industry in Alberta had been amazing. With the advent of new and great railways, fresh discoveries which would stimulate mining industries in British Columbia were inevitable.

Having summed up the record of the provinces the chairman went on to show that geologists and mineralogists had much in common, and that the former had done much towards the development of the minerals of the country. Briefly he recapitulated the work of the Geological Survey, and showed that more work was being done by them in this province than anywhere else in Canada.

Towards the end of the session a slight discussion took place as to the advisability of advising the Dominion government that it would be to the benefit of the mining industry especially, and the country generally, to appoint a separate minister of mines in the cabinet, instead of allowing the destinies of the industry to be administered as at present, by the minister of the interior, who through the pressure of innumerable other duties, could not give the time to it that the subject demanded.

A resolution to that effect was proposed by William Sutton, seconded by Charles Graham, and was carried unanimously. It was also suggested that the secretary write a circular letter to all the Western members of the institute, advising them of the step that was being taken and asking for their hearty support.

Later in the day, an illustrated lecture will be given by Dr. Barlow, on "The Mineral Development and Geology of Quebec."

HINDUS PROCEED AGAINST THE MAYOR

Claim He Libelled Them in an Interview—Writ to Be Served at Once

Some words attributed in an interview with Mayor Beckwith in the Canadian Mail on August 17 are to form the subject of an action for defamation of character in the Supreme court.

The plaintiff is Sunder Singh, who has instructed C. F. Davis to take the necessary proceedings against his worship. No damages are stated, and the necessary papers will be served to-day or to-morrow.

The Hindus are commented upon in terms which have already been printed in the Times, and the case when it comes to trial is likely to be important.

Mrs. Newton Burdick, "Wilmot Close," will not receive on Friday, 20th.

Mrs. John Hart, of 1140 Hilda street, will be at home on Thursday and every third Thursday in the month.

Rt. Hon. Walter Long, M. P. Lady Doreen Long and Major Morrison Bell, M. P. were entertained at dinner last evening by Hon. E. G. Prior and Mrs. Prior.

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TENDERS WILL BE CALLED FOR EXTENSION

Another Portion of C. P. R. to Comox Valley—Cowichan Lake Branch

The decision to call for tenders for the balance of the section between McBride Junction and Courtney, in the Comox valley, which was authorized by the directors of the Canadian Pacific railway while in Victoria for the week end, will enable the richest dairy country on Vancouver Island to obtain rail communication with the capital many months before the contract time expires in 1915.

The section is about 45 miles long, and work on the right-of-way is already in progress from both ends. The sections completed amount to about 15 miles from the junction, and 10 miles from Courtney south. Some important bridge work will be required, including the crossing of both the Big and Little Qualicum rivers, and a big bridge at Baynes Sound, so that the contract is of considerable importance.

The company has not yet applied for the approval of the Cowichan Lake branch from Duncan to the lake, as a good deal of logging has yet to be carried on before a passenger service can be inaugurated. Contracts for various station buildings on the line have been let, so that by the time the Dominion official makes his inspection there will not be delay in providing for the accommodation of passengers.

C. P. R. OPERATORS OPPOSE DELAY

International President in Winnipeg—Early Decision on Strike Question Expected

Winnipeg, Sept. 18.—L. W. Quick, international president of the Railway Telegraphers, arrived in Winnipeg from St. Louis this morning and at once went into conference with the leaders of the order here, concerning a possible strike of all C. P. R. operators.

It was stated that a definite conclusion might be expected by to-night, as the order is determined not to hang back. The men do not expect that the struggle will result in a strike. However, the active personal intervention of the international president shows that a crisis has been reached. Word of a final decision was expected last night, but it did not come, indicating that an agreement has not been reached. Local telegraphers are confident that if a settlement is not reached to-day, that the strike will start to-morrow.

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patching of trains because the telephone service could be utilized, as the company has telephones installed practically from Montreal to the coast.

Strike Likely. Railroad telegraph operators on the entire system are involved.

Montreal, Sept. 18.—C. P. R. operators are still in session. The company refuses to give way and a strike is likely.

BRAINS AND HEIGHT. Mr. A. J. Balfour tells a story against himself. He was playing golf at North Berwick, and on approaching a hole he asked for his maul. "Ye'd better tak' yer brannie," said his caddy. The ex-leader of the opposition acquiesced, and on finding his ball well on the green, he remarked, "Ye're a clever boy; you were right." "Aye," replied the boy, "if you had my brains an' I had your height, we'd mak' a grand pair in a fower-some!"

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SIXTH SESSION OF THE SEWERS INQUIRY

Important Point Not Cleared
Up—Members of Construc-
tion Department Called

The sewers investigators will resume this evening in their sixth session, and it is the intention to summon representatives of the old construction department formed by Harry Worswick when superintendent of construction under the late engineer. Others who are to be called are likely to include Mr. McIntyre, of the sewers department. His name, as well as those of members of the construction department, has been imported into the evidence already heard by the committee from several witnesses.

The length of the inquiry depends upon the number of witnesses who can be induced to come forward, but the main question is unanswered which the committee has had before it for the past two sessions, namely, who gave the order for vitrified pipe to be used in place of cement, and under what circumstances was the order given without a tender being called for?

There is not much further evidence to be afforded the committee with regard to management and checking of work on the sewers, nor have they any mandate to report on the northwest sewer nor the Victoria West work, to which considerable time has been given. The reason for this is that they were appointed to inquire into the expenditure of the sewer loan, and to report on better methods for the future, so that sewer schemes not yet commenced must be matters for the determination of the council.

The inquiry has established lax control, discontent and vexatious delays, and to judge the new system inaugurated since the change of management by what has yet been accomplished, would be a distinct hardship on the assistant engineer and his superintendents. It is not likely, therefore, that the committee, in making their report, will commit themselves to any policy with regard to the regime which could be construed as a reflection on them, thereby undermining their influence with the staff in the future.

While the committee are busy discovering the cause, the finance committee are to meet to discover the way of meeting the results of past management. A meeting of the committee, to which Alderman Gleason has been added as a member of the inquiry, will be

held this week, in which the aldermen will sit with the estimates by-law before them, and seek a means of pruning down expenditure on public works authorized therein in order to find the money to complete the northeast sewer at a cost of \$5,000. The paving plant and the civic yard have already been abandoned and the money for these set aside for sewer work, and from some source or other the balance has to be found, if the engineer's recommendations are to be put into effect.

PASSING SHOW

The Empress Theatre.
For those who like the charm of character work the performance of Henry Brooks, who leads the company which presents a sketch entitled "The Old Minstrel Man" at the Empress this week, will have considerable attraction. In the role of the deaf old man of eighty, living on the bounty of a relation who does not care to keep him, Mr. Brooks does some capable work. There is some humor and much pathos in the little sketch. Mr. Brooks is ably assisted in the presentation by Miss Katherine Clinton and Thomas Carroll. Some banjo and piano duets are included in the sketch.

Thomas Potter Dunne, a comedian and impersonator, offers an act which draws considerable laughter. He is a capital mimic and this aids much in his clever impersonations, the wide range of which show his great versatility.

A versatile girl, with a highly pleasing personality and an unusual amount of talent in the person of Musette, the dancing violinist, is another feature of this week's bill. Musette wears some jewels of her own creation, which add much to the interest of her contribution to the programme.

Madame Busse presents a troupe of trained dogs. She has taught ten canines, French poodles and fox terriers, to perform many interesting tricks and feats and the animals offer an act which ranks with any of its kind here.

O'Rourke and O'Rourke, two hard shoe dancers, offer some high-class exhibitions of this style of entertainment. They are not only good dancers, but also sing well.

By special request the film depicting scenes during an English fox hunt is again being shown by the Empress.

Majestic Theatre.

"The Inner Circle" depicts a lonely widower living in the Italian quarter of the city, whose only solace, since the death of his wife is his little child, who is reluctantly a member of a secret society existent among his countrymen. The active members of this society have observed with envy the success of another Italian and feel that they should share the proceeds of his industry without working for it, so to this end send the wealthy man a demand

for \$5,000, ostensibly to defray the expenses of their society. The rich man is defiant and consequently the society decides upon his annihilation, selecting the widower to do the deed. He at first rebels against the move, but has little choice, for it is a case of the marked man or himself. Hence off he goes on the terrible errand. In the meantime, the widower's child wanders off and is thrown down by an automobile, and though not injured, is carried into the doomed man's house just as the father places and lights a bomb beneath it. One may imagine the man's position when, as he is leaving the place, he sees his own child through the window of the room just above the terrible instrument of destruction. This will be featured to-day and Thursday at the Majestic. Other pictures will be "True Love," "The Librarian," Animated Gazette and "Brownie Hays Visitors." The latter is a smart comedy of old Uncle Josh and Aunt Marandy from down Juniper Corners way.

OUR LETTER BOX

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.
Letters for publication in Daily Times must be received before 10 a. m. When received after that hour they will go over until next day.

HARD HIT.

To the Editor—The Colonist seems to have been hard hit by that Ulsterman, when hospital treatment was considered absolutely necessary as a last resource.
DERRY.

A LIS PENDENS.

To the Editor—"A" buys a property from "B," makes his first payment and places the agreement in the Land Registry office. Later on "C" arrives on the scene and claims that he has a third interest in the property, although (nota bene) he has not registered the same. "A" having searched title feels justified in making the purchase. "C" immediately places a "lis pendens" on the property thereby tying it up indefinitely. "A" is unable to sell and stands a chance of losing the property unless he can dispose of it before the next payment. This sounds like a fairy tale, and yet it is the law, for it has happened to me personally. Surely there is something rotten in the state of Denmark! It gives us a sort of creepy feeling that nothing we buy is safe! For after the deeds are deposited any claimant may come along and place a "lis pendens" on the property, whether his claim is just or otherwise.
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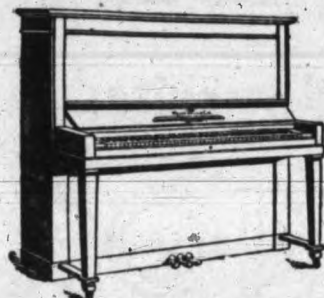
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Express Train Derailed Near Liverpool—Fire in Coach Adds to Horror

Liverpool, Sept. 18.—Sixteen persons were killed and fifty injured by the derailment last evening of the express train from Chester to Liverpool at Ditton Junction, about eight miles from Liverpool.

The train of nine carriages sped on to the station. The leading carriage crashed into the platform with terrific force and was wrecked. One carriage was overturned, and caught fire. In spite of the efforts of the fire brigade, it was soon consumed. Several bottles in this carriage were cremated, but some of the injured were rescued from windows. The engine driver was crushed to death between the engine and tender, and the fireman had both legs broken. He was pinned under the engine for two hours. Hundreds of laborers and railway employees took part in the rescue, while the waiting rooms were turned into an emergency hospital.

The work of extricating the dead and injured by the light of bonfires was continued until a late hour. All the passengers in the first two cars were killed.

The fourth car became a roaring furnace, and the cries of the injured and appeals for help, together with the difficulty in taking the passengers from the wreckage, caused harrowing scenes.

The census of England and Wales for 1911 shows there are 17,465,000 male inhabitants and 18,624,894 females.

MANUFACTURE SUFFRAGETTES.
Cicely Hamilton Explains Reasons for Abandoning Femininity and Turning "Man."

Why does one woman, apparently sane, well educated, and gentle-mannered, become a roving rampart slave to an idea, submerging in its favor family, friends, reputation, and all that makes life worth living; while her neighbor, enjoying apparently equal advantages, virulently opposes the same idea, which is in the abstract to do so much for her and her sex? The answer may be gauged from Miss Cicely Hamilton's explanation of why she became a suffragette, says the Montreal Herald. Her reasons, if vague, satisfy herself.

"Like many of us who profess the faith of feminism, I suppose that I was always a feminist in embryo—by temperament if not conviction. Certainly I cannot look back upon the day when the preferential treatment and superior prospects of the human boy, the artificial limitation of the energies of the average human girl did not fill me with envy and resentment. I remember that envy and resentment flaring up into impotent fury when, at the age of six or seven years or so, I was forbidden a questionable form of amusement—something rough and unladylike, no doubt—on the ground that I had been born a girl; my cousin, on the ground that he had been born a boy, being allowed to take part in the unseemly sport. And that night, sleepless from the sense of injustice, I lay and wrestled with Heaven in reproach that I had been sent into the world woman instead of man."

I do not know exactly how and when the whole business first struck me as ridiculous—the perennial persevering endeavor of many and various women to mould themselves to the same pattern (often against the grain), and attain to the same end—domesticity and marriage. But I can look back upon a time when the boring and ridiculous nature of the process, so far as I was concerned, had dawned upon me definitely, and I had decided that it was quite unnecessary to continue it.

Long before I had arrived at this

conclusion I had, like every woman who works for her bread, got rid of the delusion that women in the mass were supported by men in the mass—as an act of amiability and protection. At one time of my life I knew few women who did not work for a wage, and those few, for the most part, differed from their wage-earning sisters only in this—that they toiled without monetary guerdon. Thus, long before I had learned to dispute, in so many words, the proposition that woman's place is the home, I knew that women situated as I was could not stay at home unless they wished to starve; the said knowledge leaving me with small respect for venerable sentiment, and helping, in no small degree, to develop me from a mere rebel, conscious only of personal misfit in the scheme of things, to a full-fledged feminist—that is to say, to a woman, who understood that her sense of misfit and restiveness was not peculiar to herself but the characteristic of a repressed and restive class.

I may add—though I be not believed—that my feminist faith is not, and never has been, based upon a belief

in the essential superiority of the human woman over the human man. On the contrary, I believe that the male of the human species is, take him all in all, a more advanced, competent, and capable creature than his female relative. If it were not so, I should not see the force of demanding for his female relative the freedom of opportunity, which, to a great extent, has made him what he is, while as regards the evils to be remedied, the wrongs to be redressed by means of triumphant feminism, I do not confine my sympathy to the evils endured and the wrongs suffered by women as the result of their present subjection. On the contrary again; since I can declare, in all honor and honesty, that I am often moved to involuntary pity by the spectacle of the well-intentioned male staggering through life under the deadly burden of incompetent and helpless femininity. True though it be that his own hands, prompted by his own owlness, have placed the burden there, he is none the less an object of sympathy! And though he resents (as he generally does) any and every attempt to induce his bur-

den to slip down from his shoulders and stand on her own two feet, we who wish him well, shall none the less persevere in our charitable endeavors to save him from the consequences of his own mistakes!

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in Regard to C. N. R. Team
Playing Here

Whether the C. N. R. lacrosse team will play a game with the crack Victoria lacrosse club, hangs alone on the guarantee question. If no definite word is received to-day, the local management, E. Taylor, particularly, will cancel the match. The C. N. R. are coming over here for a visit this Saturday at any rate and while a match may not be played, the locals will endeavor to entertain the Winnipeggers some way.

Last Saturday when the C. N. R. manager came to the city he asked for \$150 guarantee, which the local club did not care to meet owing to counter attractions. It was proposed by the locals that 60 per cent. of the gate would be given them and 40 per cent. would be left for the homesters to pay the expenses of the match. This is a fair proposition and should be accepted by the Mann cup challengers. However, no definite word has been received.

The last game of the Mann cup series takes place to-morrow at Vancouver, but the cup will stay at home. Twenty-eight to four is more than any team could turn around and beat and the Easterners well know it.

The C. N. R. team will leave for home from here via Seattle on Monday.

SPORT NOTES

Harry Wolverton was foolish for letting Jack Quinn go to Rochester early in the season, as Quinn is now the mainstay in the box for the Hustlers and it is partly through his pitching that Rochester gave Toronto such a hard run for the International League flag.

Luther McCarthy is again in the limelight, as his decisive win over Jim Barry, the Chicago heavyweight, in six rounds the other night in New York, will show. McCarthy floored Barry three times during the fight.

Bruce Ridpath, the noted hockey player, who was injured last winter, will be in the game again this year.

The St. Louis Cardinals' new pitcher, Woodburn, is a ventriloquist, and until his fellow-players got wise he had their goats and would kid them until they would go outside of the clubhouse and look for the fellow to lick. It was a long time before the players got on to him.

Pittsburg will either send "King" Cole or Warner to Columbus as part of the payment for Pitchers' Sister and Cooper.

The Detroiters have purchased Pitcher Jensen from the New Haven club in the Connecticut League.

Young Jack O'Brien and Young Brown fight 10 rounds to-night in New York City.

Leach, Cross, the dentist fighter, was disqualified in his bout with Fred.

Duffy, of Buffalo, in the fourth round, for using the kidney punch.

Joe Mandol is not the only New Orleans boy who is making a name for himself in the ring, as Frankie Russell, a newcomer, gave Jack White, of Chicago, a sound beating a short time ago. He now wants to fight Kilbane.

When Jim Driscoll, the English featherweight champion, arrives in America, his plans are to first fight Johnny Kilbane and then go for the bigger ones, such as Packey McFarland and Ad. Wolgast. Wait till he gets through with Kilbane, then maybe he will be satisfied to stay where he is.

Arthur Bues is not hitting the ball nearly as hard with Buffalo as he did with Seattle. He is not mentioned among the three hundred hitters yet.

Jem Driscoll has left for New York to seek the featherweight championship of the world. When Jem came over last time he was given a good beating by Pal Moore. Jem claimed he was sick and went back to England.



NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS

Letters for publication in Daily Times must be received before 10 a. m. When received after that hour they will go over until next day.

THE MILITANT CAMPAIGN.

To the Editor: Your correspondent's letter above the nom de plume "A Woman From the Old Country," was read with much interest and more amusement by a member of the rank and file of the National Women's Social and Political Union. The above-mentioned letter purported to write of facts concerning the militant suffrage campaign in England, and the "facts" were as much divorced from the true state of affairs as it was possible for them to be. To begin with, your correspondent states that the W. S. P. U. propose that the vote be given only to those women who already have the municipal vote. This statement is totally erroneous, as the W. S. P. U. demand that the vote be given to women "on the same terms as it is, or may be, given to men."

The next claim of your correspondent is that Lloyd George is so anxious that the bill granting woman suffrage be a democratic measure that until a bill is framed accordingly he prefers not to give any assistance towards a bill having a less democratic basis. Now, Lloyd George knows perfectly well that a universal adult woman suffrage bill would not go through, as to pass in a single step from the womanhood of the country being absolutely disfranchised to their entire enfranchisement is a thing that the large conservative body of Englishmen would not tolerate, and yet Lloyd George knowing this pretends that he is a friend to woman suffrage when he says "the whole lot or nothing." Who but Lloyd George spoke so gleefully of "torpedoing" the conciliation bill, on which bill were set the hopes of all friends of the woman suffrage movement. Was he our friend then? It is because the women of the W. S. P. U. realize that Lloyd George is not a true friend that they are "indignant," (to use your correspondent's phrase), and not because they are wealthy women; very many are not. If there is a clique of wealthy women who desire the vote for themselves only, and not for their poorer sisters also, that clique is not to be found within the

borders of the W. S. P. U. or any other suffrage union that I ever heard of.

Your correspondent is either quite ignorant or wilfully blind if she does not recognize the duplicity of the Liberal government on the woman suffrage question. She speaks of a bill being passed for this every year. Had a bill passed it would have become law and women would now be citizens and no longer classed with criminals, minors and idiots. Possibly your correspondent merely meant that a bill had passed its second reading. This is true, and at that stage it has been talked out, with malice aforethought, by one of the enemies or "friends" of woman suffrage. These bills have been brought in not by the government, as they ought to have been, but by some private member, and anyone who knows anything of British parliamentary procedure knows just how little chance a private member's bill has. So much for the help of the government.

As for the Premier's promise, we know how much that was worth. Mr. Asquith, anti-suffragist as he is, was taking no risks when he made that promise, being very certain that the necessary facilities for a woman suffrage bill would not be forthcoming.

That the militant campaign is the cause for any bill failing to pass is utterly false. The fact is that no bill would have been introduced but for this campaign. I would also point out to your correspondent that the militant leaders have frequently suspended operations when a bill has been before the House, as for instance, at the time of the conciliation bill.

It is the militant methods that have brought the question of woman suffrage into the sphere of practical politics. But for the W. S. P. U. the question of woman suffrage would still be merely an academic one, a thing to be discussed at "drawing-room meetings." It would not be the vital living movement that is a magnificent reality to-day, a moot point to be discussed everywhere, in the streets, the parks, in the largest halls in London, before the biggest audiences ever known, a point to be amicably discussed with cabinet ministers—on the golf links; on the station platforms, at closely-guarded Liberal meetings, in the courts, here the finest speeches of modern times have been heard from Mrs. Pankhurst, Mr. and Mrs. Pethick Lawrence. No, it is not to Mrs. Fawcett that the numerical, moral and financial support is most largely given, but to a woman who is not content to wait longer for justice to be given to women, but who has the whole-hearted courage of a soul rendered rebel by the sense of injustice, and who is at the present time leading thousands not to defeat, but to victory by the only methods which can gain that end. With all due recognition to Mrs. Fawcett, whom I admire immensely for her splendid work in the suffrage cause, there can be no question as to which leader is helping forward the movement most, and that leader is the one that has come to a realization that only by using unconstitutional methods can she gain for her sex the right to act constitutionally.

MEMBER N. W. S. P. U.
Victoria, B. C.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S MEDALS.

To the Editor:—It is stated in some of the newspapers that His Royal Highness, our Governor-General, is to present his bronze medal to the winner at Vancouver and also at Victoria. Would you be good enough to publish a list of those who have won those bronze medals this year? The education department, at the time of giving out the results of the high school entrance examinations did not publish the list of winners, merely stating that the number of medals to be distributed was then unknown.

ONE INTERESTED.

TRADITIONS OF THE PAST.

To the Editor:—I am sorry there should be such a lack of sentiment in our city that even the suggestion of a change of name for Pandora Avenue should be made. The street Pandora was named after H. M. surveying vessel "Pandora," Lieutenant Commander James Wood, which was on this coast from 1845 to 1848. For the sake of the pioneers who still live in the city, discard the idea of calling it Broadway, which is strictly American. Some time ago we took upon ourselves to disturb our pioneer dead, and left them, with their tombstones molested, the chagrin of visitors from the Old Land, where such acts of vandalism are unknown. The destruction of the residence of Sir James Douglas, our colonial governor, and its valuable contents, was a decided loss to Victoria, and representing as it did a feature of the early life of B. C. which, if preserved could have given enjoyment to visitors and others, who are not merely living for the present. I have the honor to belong to the Chapter of Daughters of the Empire, which has for its motto: "Keep one hand on the traditions of the past," which we hope to do.

MARGARET LEIGHTON MCMICKING

Victoria, 16th Sept.

GERMAN CAPITALISTS COMING.

A party of prominent German capitalists, including some of the biggest financiers in the Kaiser's domain, will visit British Columbia next summer. They will make a tour similar to that of the British manufacturers and will spend several weeks in Canada. Their object will be to ascertain opportunities for investment.

A representative is now in the East making preliminary arrangements for the visit.

ARCTIC MOSQUITOES.

The presence of mosquitoes in myriads within the bare, uninhabited Arctic circle is surely in some degree a mystery. The mosquito is a blood-sucker, but in these unvisited plains he is for the most part and of strict necessity a vegetarian. A few birds excepted (and the birds are furnished with impervious feathers), there is no local life whatever. The Lapp in summer drives his reindeer to the sea, and no native crosses the field if he can help it. Yet in this region, "seemingly the most unsuitable for the effective working," the mosquito flourishes, "a primeval and enduring curse, inexplicably developed to its utmost."—London Chronicle.

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PARTIES ABSENT; CASE STRUCK OUT

CHILD BITTEN BY A DOG ASKS DAMAGES

Judgment in Liquor Case Tomorrow—Six Trials Set Down Peremptory List

Owing to the absence of the parties interested when their case was called in the county court yesterday afternoon, the action of Longpre against Roy was struck from the list, being the second case treated in this way for the same reason at the September sitting of the county court. This morning the action of Wilby against Watt, in which the plaintiff, a minor, claims \$800 damages and \$142.50 special damages for medical fees, was set over until Monday because of a misunderstanding between the parties as to the date of trial. The plaintiff, a child, was bitten by the defendant's dog on May 2 at Victoria West, and the case was before the police court during that month, where the defendant was charged with keeping a vicious dog. The dog was ordered destroyed, but was sent to the country by its owner. The plaintiff is now suing for damages. Mr. Lowe appears for the plaintiff and was ready to go on this morning. Mr. Alkman is for the defendant.

Judgment was delivered yesterday afternoon in Hambach against Braden, the plaintiff getting judgment with costs, on an old promissory note. The defense was the statute of limitations, but failed on evidence that the note had been acknowledged inside the six year limit. Costs follow the judgment. Motion against Young was set over until the October court, Taylor against the B. C. Motor Truck Company was adjourned until October owing to the absence of the plaintiff, with costs of the adjournment to the defendant. Judgment was given in Nesbitt against Fellow for \$475 and costs on a commission claim, the defendant failing to appear. Mr. Morphy represented the plaintiff.



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LIEUT. ARTHUR BOGGS

Lieut. Arthur Boggs, son of Beaumont Boggs of this city, will shortly leave Victoria for Bombay where he has received a commission as second lieutenant in the Indian service. He will sail from Montreal on the Megantic on September 28 for the Old Country and thence by the Trooper Plassy to Bombay. After graduating from the Victoria High school this young man attended the Royal Military College, Kingston, where he took a very successful course recently graduating with distinction.

SITUATION IN THE COAL STRIKE

BALLOTING TO SETTLE ACTION AT EXTENSION

Mass Meeting at Ladysmith To-day—Cause of Trouble at Cumberland

To determine what steps shall be taken in the walkout on the Vancouver Island coal mines, a mass meeting of the workers in the Extension mines was held this morning at Ladysmith at 10.30 o'clock, from four to five hundred attending.

It was determined to take a ballot to decide whether the men shall go out in sympathy with their fellow miners at Cumberland, and the ballot is to be counted this afternoon. They have a number of grievances which they desire to have redressed.

Nothing definite has yet been heard of the strike at Cumberland, where the men have been out since Monday morning.

The difficulty at Cumberland seems to be the recognition of the officials of the United Mine Workers' local. The company have refused to meet the officials of the union as such, only hearing committees of the men in their position as individuals employees of the Canadian Collieries Limited. The management of the collieries declare that a recognition of the local would be to hand over the control of the miners' case to the agitators who live on the men, and whom they will not recognize as having any say in the adjustment of matters between the management and the men.

An open meeting of the men was held on Sunday morning, when it was proposed to strike, but the resolution did not carry, but a subsequent meeting, alleged to be private, was held in the evening at which the measure to absent themselves from work was determined upon, and accordingly between 1,500 and 1,600 men have been idle from Monday morning.

The period the mines will be closed depends largely upon the action of the other mining districts on Vancouver Island, and the support they receive from the international organization of the United Mine Workers of America. The Extension mines employ several hundred people, and probably altogether over 3,000 will be affected if the Ladysmith miners join their fellow workers in the walkout.

Manager's Opinion.

General Manager W. L. Coulson, seen this morning by a Times man, said the company was largely in the

dark as to the cause of the difficulty. He protested against the walkout without any notice, disturbing the business of the company, and preventing them from fulfilling contracts. The union was not likely to be recognized by the company, nor was it probable that the management could treat any deputations on grievances in any way than as individual employees. He declared that the leaders had in private taken advantage of the men, who publicly had refused to strike at Cumberland, and there was no cause for peremptory action such as the employees had taken. The effect on the industry depends upon the duration of the strike. They could not make any statement till the grievances of the men were aired, and they knew exactly what was the source of the disturbance.

Mr. Coulson referred to the disturbance in the West Virginia field, where a strike has been in progress in the coal areas of several of the southern counties, and stated that recognition of the union and other grievances were being fought out there with great bitterness, necessitating the introduction of the militia, and disarming of the populace. These industrial disturbances probably had their effect on other coal mining districts, as the men were in affiliation with the great international organization controlling the employees in the coal-bearing measures of the continent. The company would await developments carefully.

Most of the men on Vancouver Island and mines are engaged on a monthly agreement, and it is contended that no notice of the strike has been given to the employers.

SEATTLE CANADIAN

CLUB TO COME HERE

To Assist in Welcoming His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught

Dr. A. MacKay Jordan, Dr. William A. Shannon and P. D. Hughes, arrived to-day from Seattle, to endeavor to arrange on behalf of the Seattle Canadian Club to meet the Duke of Connaught the latter part of this month.

The members of the committee will report the results of their visit at a luncheon to be given this Friday or Saturday. An excursion is planned for the Seattle Canadian Club on the Princess Victoria on either September 27, 28 or 29, to Victoria, the members to take part in the reception to be given the duke.

Sharks were almost unknown in the Adriatic until the Suez canal was opened. Now the harbors of Fiume and Pola are so infested with them that residents dare no longer bathe in the open sea.

WORLD FAMOUS JESUIT PREACHER COMING

Rev. Bernard Vaughan Will Preach and Lecture Here Early Next Month

Rev. Father Bernard Vaughan, the famous London Jesuit who has been lecturing in Canada and the United States for about a year, will preach in St. Andrew's cathedral on Sunday, October 6. There will be a solemn high mass at 10.30 a.m. on that day, and Father Vaughan will preach the sermon, taking for his theme, "The Church, Which is His Body." Rev. Father Fisser, pastor of St. Joseph's

church, Esquimalt, has been invited to celebrate the mass, and a good musical programme will be arranged.

Father Vaughan will give one lecture during the following week, very likely on Wednesday evening, at the Alexandra Club. His subject on that occasion will be, "Socialism, What It Is Not and What It Is." He intended to speak here during the early part of August, but has not been well, and he had to take a rest. He has been recuperating for some time at the Sol Duc springs in Washington.

Father Vaughan will remain in Victoria for a few days and will be the guest of the priests at the Bishop's house on View street, the Bishop himself having to be away on business in Eastern Canada at the time.

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DESCRIBES HOW IT CAME INTO EXISTENCE

An Interesting Interview With Noted Divine—Successful Nature of the Work

The Reformed Episcopal Church, of which Bishop Rudolph of New York—who is at present visiting Victoria—is a representative, had its origin as long ago as 1873, and sprang directly from the differences which had grown up between the Anglican Church and its more evangelical clergy. "In the early part of the last century, and up to 1873, Evangelical associations were formed in the Protestant Episcopal Church of America for the purpose of staying the tide of the advancing ritualism, and resolutions were presented by these societies, including the Latimer Society, which was one of the most influential," said Bishop Rudolph in explaining the origin of the Reformed Episcopal Church to a Times representative. "Resolutions were brought into the convention to accomplish the purpose of the association, but the evangelical party in the church received little attention."

"In November, 1873, the meeting of the Evangelical Alliance in New York City brought together a great many of the leading men of the Christian church from all countries, and at that time Bishop Cummins read a paper, the dominant thought of which was church union—an idea of which the Bishop was one of the leading advocates, being an ardent supporter of the idea of union between the Episcopal and non-Episcopal churches. Having advocated the idea for years and having presented it at the convention, he determined to illustrate the principles which he had espoused by taking part in a communion service in the 11th Avenue Presbyterian Church in New York. For this act he was so severely censured by his own church that he felt any further effort to secure reformation within the church was useless, and in consequence withdrew from the church and organized an Evangelical Episcopal Church—which, though holding to Episcopacy, was not out of harmony with those who held conscientiously to other forms."

An Organization Meeting.

"The meeting for the organization," said Bishop Rudolph, "was held on December 2, 1873, in the Y.M.C.A. building of New York City, seven clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal and a number of prominent laymen being present. A declaration of principles was adopted which rejected the doctrine that the church exists in only one form of polity, that ministers are priests in any other sense than that in which all Christian believers are priests, and the doctrine of the real presence at the Lord's Supper and the regeneration is inseparably connected with baptism. As an evidence of the sincerity of the Reformed Episcopalians in the matter of church union, no better proof could be shown than in the fact that we receive ministers from any evangelical denomination without re-ordination, and in the fact that it is a general practice to hold a union communion service on Maunday Thursday, to which ministers of other denominations are invited, and in which they take part. A further evidence is that they receive members of other churches by letter without confirmation. Several years before the organization meeting, however, Bishop Cheeny withdrew from the Protestant Episcopal Church on account of the baptismal office in the church, which distinctly, to his mind, talked bap-

mal regeneration. In consequence of this he hailed the movement of 1873 with great delight, and was at the first council, where he was elected bishop of the new church.

Mission Work.

"In mission work the church has taken a very active part, and, considering its small forces, is doing good work. At Lallaupur, in the province of Oude, India, there are two mission stations; there is a large orphanage and evangelist work is carried on on a large scale by Rev. Mr. Van Horn and his native helpers. In Lucknow, Rev. Dr. Cook, of Montreal, is in charge of the Benson Memorial Hospital, and the Dean Memorial Gospel Hall at the same place has reached a great number of the people who have gone to the hospital for treatment. Some of the Reformed Episcopal Church clergy are doing work in other societies in foreign countries, among these being Mr. Gardner in China, and Rev. Clarence Usher, another Canadian, in Turkey. The home mission field among the negroes in South Carolina, however, is by far the largest field that we have, this being under the superintendence of Rev. Mr. Pengelly, at one time one of our clergymen, who has gone down there to take up the work, and for the past three years has devoted his whole time to preaching among the poor negroes there. The work is immense, and was founded by Bishop T. F. Stevens, so that, in taking over such a field the young pastor has a stupendous work. In the state of South Carolina there are about a million negroes—ten per cent. of all the negroes in the United States—and although our own churches are few in number when compared with those of other denominations the influence is felt through the whole of that region, and testimonies come in from the prominent citizens among the white people there from time to time as to the value of the work which is being carried on by our church."

In referring to the character of the people themselves in that district, Bishop Rudolph said that, while in many instances very poor, the spirit of self-sacrifice was so great that an annual fund was made for the press purpose of sending out to help forward the work in India. Bishop Rudolph is very much interested in Rev. Mr. Pengelly, who was ordained by him in 1899 after a most successful course at the seminary. "He is very energetic," said the Bishop, "and did some splendid work among the young people of Christ Memorial Church, in the city of Philadelphia. He went down to the negroes in South Carolina immediately after his ordination, undertaking work there which would have staggered many a man of much greater experience."

Church and Laboring Classes.

Speaking of the relation of the church, in a general sense, to the laboring classes, Bishop Rudolph expressed the opinion that, although there was an attitude of restraint between the church and the laborer, this had been due more to a feeling of pride among the people than to any unfriendly attitude on the part of the church, which was doing everything to reach out and help those who were in need, either spiritually or otherwise. The Federation of Churches was doing everything in its power to solve some of the social and economic problems of the people, and the question of the relation of capital and labor had absorbed much of their thought.

DEATHLESS COURAGE.

It is but just that some sort of monument as the proposed cairn should be raised at Niagara to perpetuate the memory of Burrell Heacock, the brave American boy who lost his life trying to save the unfortunate young couple who were swept to their death upon the ice floe early last spring, writes "Kit" in the Canada Monthly. There are perils which bring to men a strange exaltation as of those who sport with jeopardy, but there are hazards which are cold and grim, which glaze the eye and freeze the heart, and this was one of them. A lonely, helpless peril, this of being swept away by irresistible force to meet death in the swirling, darkening waters with what might well seem the whole Brotherhood of Man looking silently on.

One horror that once overtook a man and which involved no sacrifice to save others, but was of ghastly loneliness in its way, was that of having a foot jammed in the points with an express train due and no help in sight. Once, too, a brave man fell into a faint of fear when he stepped in one of those bottomless Irish bogs which quiver all over their acres at the mere tap of a foot. His comrades pulled him out when he had sunk to the knees, and the morass did not shudder more than he. But when later, he died on Spion Kop—shot to pieces—he died like the fearless soldier he was, and the smile was fixed on his calm face when they found him.

But these were bearded men. What of the boy who, sent lonely on the slow-moving ice-floe to his black death? They said of him at the time that as the waters caught him and flung him back on the edge of the floe, he feebly waved his arm to the helpless men on the bridge above. On his face, too, I doubt not, there was set the smile of a brave soul.

There is only pleasure in peril when something or someone is to be overcome or won. There is nothing in the bitterness of death so agonizing as its uselessness. It takes the finest kind of bravery to meet such a death in calmness, to be able through sheer force of spirit to wave a good-bye to the world in that last extremity—in the very article of death.

It is to such brave souls that we gladly raise monuments—it is before such that a man may stand and read with head reverently bowed, the story of a boy's bravery.

A Geneva watch-making firm has just completed a wonderful watch, the only one of its kind in the world. A pearl, which weighs 45 grains and has a diameter of about half an inch, contains all the works. It took an employee of the firm 15 months to hollow out the pearl and fix in the wheels. The watch, which is guaranteed to keep good time and may be worn as a ring on the finger, is for sale for \$5,000.

AN OPTIMIST FOR AUSTRALIAN GROWTH

MELBOURNE MERCHANT TO PROMOTE TRADE

A. J. Billows Arrives on Zealandia—Immigration to Commonwealth

An optimist on Australian conditions is A. J. Billows, a passenger from Sydney, on the Zealandia, which arrived in port yesterday from the Antipodes. Mr. Billows is an aerated water manufacturer who has come to Canada to develop a patent in connection with his business, and will proceed across the continent to Toronto, going thence to New York.

He does not agree with the common opinion held among financial interests in the Antipodes that the effect of labor legislation in the Commonwealth has discouraged capital from investing, but says that the people are getting a little dubious of the experiments in social legislation which have emanated from the Fisher ministry, the full results of which will not be experienced in the Australian states for some years. A change of government when the next triennial appeal is made to the country in the spring is anticipated in many circles, this prognostication being largely based upon the results of the state elections, notably in South Australia and Queensland.

Melbourne, he ventured to think, was not as prosperous as Sydney to-day, although that did not seem a generous thing to say of the city where he had his headquarters, and which was his home. The cause of this was that New South Wales was getting a larger share of immigration from the Old Country than was Victoria state, and commercial conditions were more active in Sydney than Melbourne. Both were anxious to attract people from Canada and the United States, and the appointment of a trade commissioner in the person of Hon. Neil Neilson, who had travelled part of the way on that

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boat, to the two civilized peoples of North America, was a demonstration of the desire to attract the capable, enterprising, and industrious immigrants from this country and the United States.

"As one who thinks that better trade relations should exist between Australia and Canada, I am hoping to do something to promote a better intercourse between the two peoples. We in Australia," said Mr. Billows, "are very kindly disposed towards you here, and the interchange of these cadet visits is going to be a most hopeful one. I saw the cadets from Vancouver arrive at Melbourne, and thought them a fine set of youths. They had a good time, and were feted in all directions."

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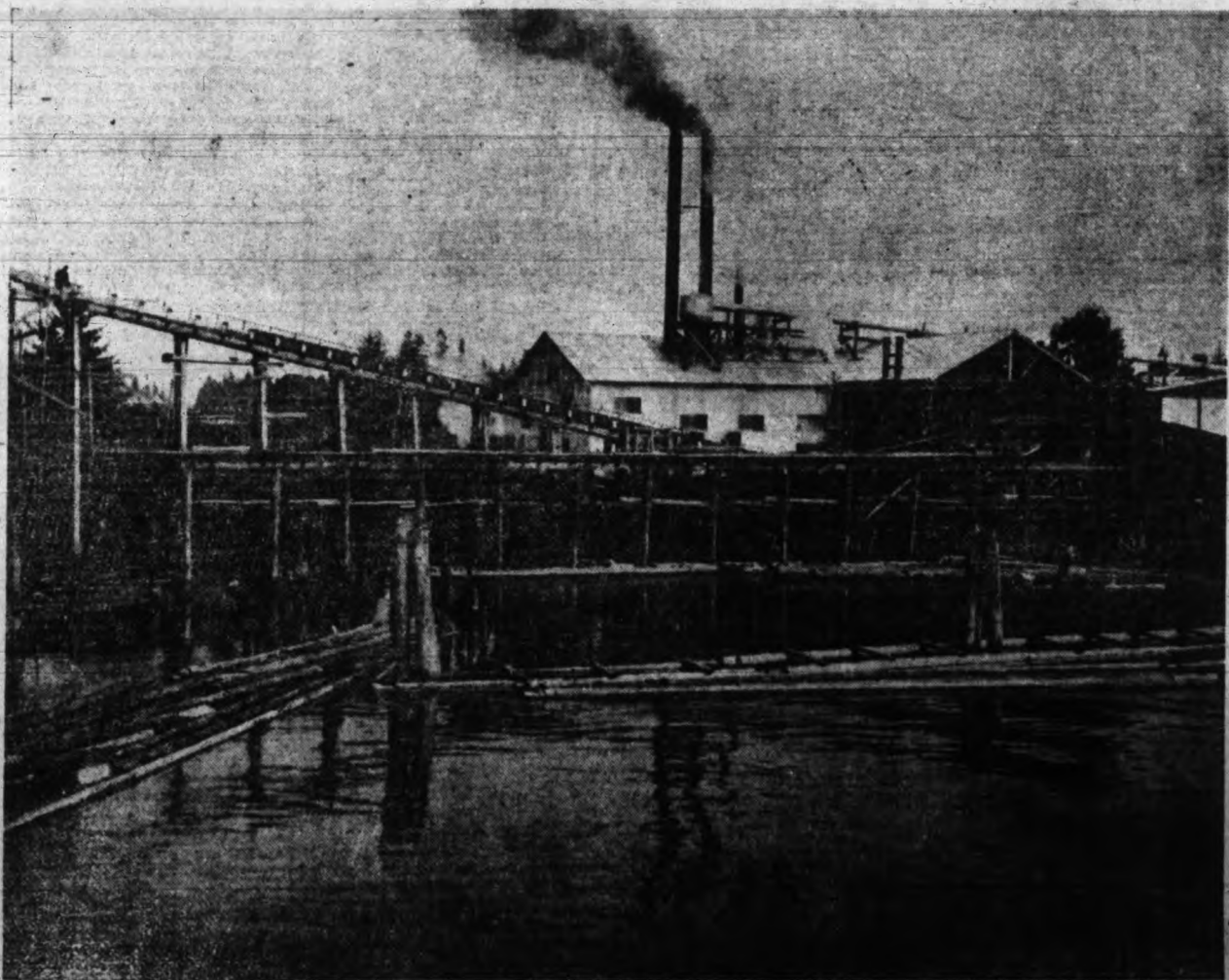
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W. S. WEEKS TELLS OF
"WONDERFUL WHEAT"

Cannot Fail, is Verdict of Mil-
lionaire Realty Owner Who
Has Just Seen Wheat

Major W. S. Weeks, formerly police magistrate at Edmonton, but now of Victoria, has just returned from a trip over the prairie provinces lasting one month, and reports that there have never been better crops on the Canadian prairies than there are at the present time. The grain production is certain to cover a larger area than any crop previously harvested on the prairies, he says.

"The crops cannot fail," said Mr. Weeks, when seen this morning in his office in the Strathcona hotel building. The only thing that can affect them will be hail, and that will be local only, and will not have a detrimental effect on the whole crop if it does occur. While away I travelled over the three lines of railway, the C. P. R., the G. T. P. and the C. N. P., and it astonished me to find that there was such a large area of wheat land under cultivation.

Major Weeks says that during the 23 years he has been familiar with the prairie country he has never before seen such heads of wheat. They are too heavy for the binders, which cannot take as big a swathe as they should because of the size of the wheat. "It was a pleasure indeed," he said, "to see the remarkable increase in cultivation on the prairies over the new railway sections. I did not expect to see anything like it. The talk that the crops are not good is false. I have seen them and the amount of money that will come west as a result will be greater than ever."

Victoria people, said Major Weeks,

did not appear to realise the value of their own city as the people of the prairies did. There Victoria was known as the Brighton of Canada. It was the objective of most prairie men. They were making their money and were coming to the west. "In Edmonton alone," he said, "I know of twenty men who are settling up their affairs to come west to Victoria with their money."

Referring to Victoria real estate and speaking from his knowledge of the realty developments in other places, he gave it as his opinion that the inside real estate of Victoria was yet below its top mark. Having made a fortune on the prairies Major Weeks has come with his family to Victoria to reside permanently, and has bought a residence site on the Dumbarton estate, Rockland avenue, where he will build a mansion.

AUTO TYRE SHOT.

Chief and Mrs. Langley Victims of
Buck Shot Charge on Malahat
Drive Yesterday.

While driving an automobile along the Malahat Drive yesterday on the way from Shawnigan Lake to Victoria, the chief of the city police, John M. Langley, had a narrow escape from being shot with buckshot, and escaped with a charge of pellets in the rear tyre of his machine. Beyond hearing the shot scatter around him and the discharge of the gun at close quarters, he had no indication that the machine had been hit until the tyre flattened out somewhat further along the road.

Accompanying the chief of police was his wife, with whom he was returning from his annual leave of absence, having spent his holidays in the Cumberland district. As soon as the wheel flattened he stopped the car, realizing that the tyre had been shot through. The marks of several shot holes were visible in the rubber.

Returning to the vicinity from where he believed the shot had been fired, he searched the woods, but found no trace of the person who was there and had fired the gun a few minutes before. The spot where the incident occurred was on the north end of the drive, south of Shawnigan Lake. Whether the shot was fired by accident or design he does not know, but believes it to have been an accident.

WILL REMOVE CAUSE OF LADIES' PROTEST

Condition of Market Building
to Be Remedied—A Result
of Procrastination

A meeting of the health committee will be held this afternoon to consider the question of the cleaning up of the Market building. The ladies of the Friendly Help Society, who have a room there, have very properly called the attention of the authorities to the conditions which prevail.

The objectionable features are some of the effects of the procrastination which has marked the councils of 1911 and 1912 over the adaptation of the site for full purposes, or for some other useful civic duty. When the full scheme seemed likely to expire for want of support Alderman Beard tried to get the site for health offices. He failed, however, and the conditions were permitted to continue unchecked. The city health officer is at the city hall, the sanitary offices on Fisguard street, and the unfortunate analyst compelled to rent temporary quarters at the Chemical Works, over a mile from the city hall, but the scheme for concentrating them under one roof failed just as completely as the new jail proposal.

The city clerk's office has sent out notices to-day to about a dozen witnesses to attend the sewer inquiry to-night, including former Superintendent of Construction Worswick and Superintendent Owens.

To-morrow the parks committee will meet, when it will be determined whether the greenhouse contract shall be awarded as it stands, or the work reduced in amount to approximate more closely to the figure of \$1,000 set aside in the estimates, instead of over \$2,000, the lowest tender received. A greenhouse is badly needed at Beacon Hill park, but whether the committee will pursue the larger scheme remains to be seen.

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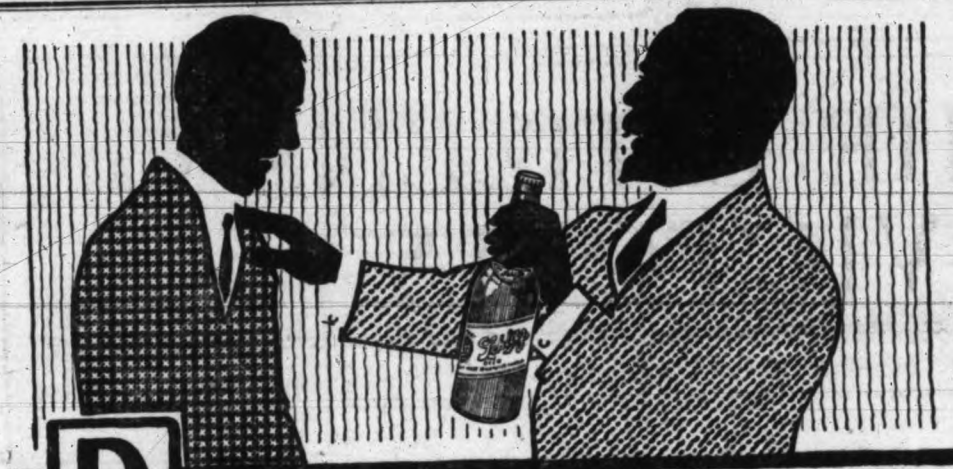
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BRAMWELL BOOTH

Pen Picture in London Daily News and Leader.

Both in manner and personal appearance, Bramwell Booth is a complete contrast to his father.

Not a feature of his face, not a movement of his body, not a note in his voice, suggests that he is the son of the General. In fact, he is physically the son of his mother to an almost startling degree, and within the last ten years the facial similarity has become so striking that occasionally I have felt an almost weird fascination when I have seen "the Chief" sit in his father's room, under the portrait of Mrs. Booth, "the mother of the Salvation Army."

His is the same pale, quiet face, with eyes in which burning enthusiasm is tempered by a gentle diffidence; with a mouth that tells of strength as well as of patience and sweetness of disposition, while there is the same quality in the voice that is soothing to the mind and pleasant to the ear in general conversation, but can change into all manner of keys such as sway crowds this way and that, just as it pleases the possessor of this orator's voice.

Mr. Bramwell Booth is less easily stirred to the exhibition of deep feeling than was that finest and noblest of women orators, his mother, and he has not the subtle charm that attracted so irresistibly to Mrs. Booth, but once he is roused from the seemingly imperforable quiet of his manner, his power as a public speaker—or even as a conversationalist—is the greater for its entire unexpectedness.

Perhaps it is the defect in his hearing which for many years lay like a burden upon him, that has made the man with the look of deep and intense life in his eyes, almost unnaturally serene and quiet. What it must have cost him to school himself to this calm acceptance of a terrible handicap only himself knows; he seemed to ignore his deafness as far as this could be, even while it seemed to grow worse and worse.

Defective Hearing.

I speak of this infirmity as in the past, for a year or two ago a sudden and what seemed to me a miraculous change took place.

When, very hurriedly, I came to the headquarters of the Salvation Army one day, asking for a few minutes' talk with the General on some important topic, it was suggested that since the General had not arrived in town I might see his eldest son.

And to my boundless surprise, Bramwell Booth, seated, as usual, at the large writing-table under his mother's beautiful portrait, heard every word I said, even though in my breathless self I forgot to raise my voice. When, presently, I became aware of the phenomenon, a smile flickered over his face, and he just raised a small instrument he held in his hand to show that it was the means by which the miracle was performed.

Years ago, when Bramwell Booth's hair, which is now white as snow, was thick and black, and when his pale face looked very young and boyish, he seemed the one member of the brilliantly clever and vivid family of General Booth who was least inclined and least suitable for a leading part in the Army's so-called field work. Indeed, so quiet, so retiring was he, so absolutely without airs, that one was inclined to think his natural position was that of one who does faithfully and loyally what he is bidden to do, and who has the grace and the wisdom to submit to being one of those serving as they "stand and wait."

Perhaps the powerful personalities of his parents overshadowing him had something to do with this seeming lack of initiative or energy; perhaps it was due to his delicate health, for as a boy he lay sick for three years, and it was thought that he might never be anything but an invalid.

The boy's cleverness before his illness had attracted the notice of a wealthy man, and an offer was made to the parents to accept the means for giving Bramwell a first-rate education.

Mr. and Mrs. Booth, who knew better than most people at that time what an advantage a liberal education would mean not only to their boy, but also indirectly to their cause, found it hard to decline the generous offer. But decline it they did, and when Bramwell Booth might have gone to Oxford his parents chose—he fully acquiescing in their choice—that instead he should go into the battlefield which lay in the dreariest and most desolate slums of the London of the seventies, where the bulk of the population were sunk in misery and wretchedness and vice.

The years he had spent indoors, away from any sort of publicity, had made of Bramwell Booth, a very shy lad, who lacked self-confidence to an almost painful degree, but whose sympathy with suffering had been widened as it rarely is in early youth.

He now burned with the same fervor which sent his father into the back streets of Mile End and Bethel Green, there to be jeered at and wounded and insulted. He went forth as a voluntary preacher and teacher, gathered together a handful of outcasts, and took them into the cellar, which was the

best shelter his parents' slender means could provide by way of a meeting-place, and there, in the far East of London, he worked and charmed the poor small savages first into attention, then into smiles, and before long into a state of mind which brought a little of the look all children ought to have on their faces as they stand at the threshold of life, but which these children had never known.

His following grew and grew, till after a while the son of the best organizer of his age organized the children into a special Salvation Army Corps, which, if it was far and away the most pitiful and pathetic of all the Army's battalions was also the most cheerful and successful.

His Retiring Nature.

He would have liked to stay among the children, working unseen, and as far as outward rewards go, unrewarded. But this could not be. The Army grew, and the General's responsibility increased rapidly, overwhelmingly. Then, just as quietly as he had gone into the first field of action, Mr. Bramwell Booth came forward.

Now he was sent to this department of the Army and now to that, and wherever he went, he worked with might and main until, almost to his own surprise, and certainly to that of the General and his chief lieutenants, Bramwell Booth, from being a sort of self-instituted jack of all trades, had become an expert in every department of the work of the Army.

He is still what he always has been, a man who professes retirement to publicity; who has no personal ambition, though his ambition for his cause is large and keen.

CLASH WITH SOCIALISTS.

Rioters at the Hague Dispersed by Police at Point of Sabre.

The Hague, Sept. 18.—After holding a demonstration yesterday in favor of universal suffrage a body of Socialists came into conflict with the police here, and the rioters were only dispersed at the point of the sabre.

Having been refused permission to parade in the streets during Queen Wilhelmina's passage through the city to open the States General parliament, the Socialists held a meeting at the race track. After the Queen had returned to the palace, however, the demonstrators endeavored to make their way to the precincts of parliament, around which the police had drawn a cordon. The police made several sabre charges and the rioters were temporarily routed.

Last year the Queen did not open parliament in person because of the Socialist procession.

SCHOONER RUNS AGROUND.

Goes Ashore During Heavy Fog—Steamer Floated.

Kingston, Ont., Sept. 17.—The schooner Oliver Mowat ran aground in a fog early this morning off Main Docks. The crew were rescued.

The steamer Caspian, which went aground on Monday near here, was released this morning. Excursionists on board were delayed twenty-four hours.

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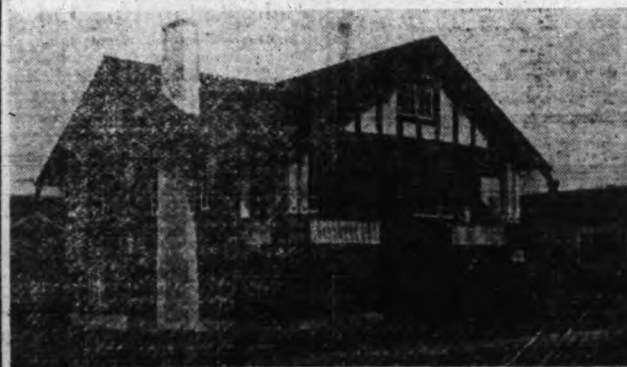
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BIRTHDAY CALENDAR



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These born-to-day are liable to misfortune and need careful training in childhood. They will often have literary ability and if this is not properly exercised it may degenerate into clever but unkind criticism of others.

Birthday
Congratulations
TO

Burrows, C. Acton (Toronto); born Bonbury, Herefordshire, Eng., 1853; for many years a journalist in Ontario and Manitoba; deputy minister of agriculture for Manitoba, 1882-1887; now publisher of Railway and Shipping World.

Cameron, Hon. John Donald, B. A. (Winnipeg); born East Nisour, Middlesex, Ont., 1853; Liberal M. P. for South Winnipeg, 1892-1907; provincial secretary, 1892-1896; attorney-general, 1896-1908; now judge of Court of Appeal for Manitoba.

Carruthers, George Frederick (Winnipeg); born Toronto, 1846; insurance underwriter, merchant and soldier; served in Fenian raid.

Coldwell, Albert Edward, B. A., M. A. (Winnipeg); born N. S.; professor of science in Acadia University, 1884-1898.

Gibson, George Farar, LL. B., K. C. (Quebec); born Quebec, 1874; lawyer, soldier and sportsman.

Gifford, Thomas, M. P. P. (New Westminster); born Lechabie, Scotland, 1852; Conservative M. P. for New Westminster since 1901.

Hind, Miss Ella Cora (Winnipeg); born Toronto, 1861; commercial editor of Manitoba Free Press and a world authority upon crop reports and statistics.

Lanceley, Rev. Ebenezer B. (Toronto); born Cobourg, Ont., 1857; Methodist pastor at many places and recently moved from Hamilton to Toronto.

Lewis, Major Edward Norman, K. C. M. P. (Goderich, Ont.); born Goderich, 1858; ex-mayor of Goderich; authority on shipping law; advocate of the daylight saving law; Conservative M. P. for West Huron since 1904.

Matthews, George (Lindsay, Ont.); born Birmingham, Eng., 1824; pork packer and active worker in Baptist church.

Mills, Samuel Perry, K. C. (Victoria); born London, Eng., 1853; barrister and notary public.

Page, W. Pemberton (Toronto); born Fonthill, Ont., 1843; journalist in early life; now trust and loan company manager.

Ross, Sir George William, LL. D. (Toronto); born Nairn, Middlesex, Ont., 1841; inspector of schools in early life; later a barrister; Liberal M. P. for West-Middlesex, 1872-1883; Liberal M. P. for the same constituency, 1883-1907; minister of education for Ontario, 1883-1899; premier of Ontario, 1899-1905; senator since 1907; knighted, 1910.

Five Hundred Perish.

Chinese Troops Lose Lives in Forest Fire Started by Retreating Mongolians.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—Five hundred Chinese soldiers were burned to death according to a Pekin dispatch to the Naily News, in a forest fire started by a large force of Mongolians retreating from the Chinese.

General Shis and Tsao, proceeding northward from Tonan Fu, with five thousand men, engaged a force of Mongolians at Chiatstun. The Mongolians were defeated and fled northward with the Chinese in pursuit. At a forest near Tabichachu they started a fire to maintain their stand. The Chinese troops were unable to escape and perished.

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Great cities have their communal waterworks and central gas and electric lighting and power systems, but hesitate to install central city-heating plants, which, it has been shown, can be inexpensively operated from the waste steam of power houses.

Moral leprosy has been tolerated in kings, and while the whole world was bow-towing to the old reprobate, Louis XIV. of France, they were burning women for witchcraft and exiling their most industrious and honest body of citizens for heresy, that is, for difference of opinion.

The introduction of machinery, which has everywhere raised the wages of labor, was fought by the laborers with rioting and bloodshed. Though scientists have demonstrated the waste and unreliability of gold or silver as the basis of money value, and shown that a universal dollar is practical, we go on doing the world's

For Sale

RICHARDSON ST., corner Stannard avenue; new, well finished six room bungalow on lot 50x110. Terms. Price \$5000

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Wildwood Ave., close to car and sea, 50x100; 1/2 cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months. Price\$1500

Burnside Rd., close to Douglas St., 50 x 110, to a lane; 1/2 cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months. Price\$3000

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DEAN HEIGHTS, 50x120. Cash \$200, balance 6, 12, 18, 24 mos. Price \$1100

GRAHAM STREET, close to Bay street, 50x120. Cash \$200. Balance 6, 12, 18, 24 mos. Price \$1950

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SIR G. ARMSTRONG ON NAVY QUESTION

SAYS CANADA SHOULD MAKE CONTRIBUTION

For Strengthening of British
Fleet in North Sea Where
Conflict Will Occur

"The navy question in England and in Canada should be altogether above politics," said Sir George Armstrong, the well-known newspaper proprietor of London at the outset of an interesting interview yesterday, and in making this statement he unconsciously quoted a recent utterance of the First Lord of the Admiralty.

"It is the only subject that I have spoken upon since my arrival on this continent," he continued. "For it is the subject that lies nearest to my mind. And yet I speak on the navy in Canada with a certain amount of diffidence, because I know that the subject here is invested with the colors of party."

The Weapon of Defence.
"But at some risk of giving offence, I should like to remind British Columbians that so far as Canada is concerned the question of the navy is most vitally important. You have here on this coast enacted certain ordinances with regard to Asiatics. Have you ever asked yourselves why it is that Japan (which was strong enough to conquer Russia) submitted to those ordinances? It is not on account of the paper they are written on, nor is it a matter of sentiment with them—no, there is only one thing, one reason why she submits, and that reason is the British navy. In the navy the people of Canada have their great weapon of defence, and yet they do not spend a penny towards the forging of it."

The fate of Canada in all human probability, will not be decided in future by a set battle to the Canadian shores, but in the North Sea. If England, if the Empire, is involved in a devastating war with Germany, what would be the good of ever so efficient a navy on these shores? What would it advantage us?

The World's Sufferance.
"Look at the parts of the world on the map, which are painted red, and take into consideration what it is that holds our great Empire together. It is not by the strength of our right arm that the desired consummation has been attained. It is by the world's sufferance—a world, too, which has long looked with eyes of envy on the broad, rich territories which comprise the greatest empire the world has ever seen, and which it will undoubtedly try one day to wrest from her."

What Canada Owe.
"I want people to realize," went on Sir George gravely, "what Canada owes to the British navy. You are here only on the threshold of life. You are growing richer every day; a greater prize for the plucking when the struggle for the dominance of the world comes, and it will come, sooner than most people imagine."

Sir George went on to ask if it was not reasonable that people deriving such great and obvious advantages of protection should be asked to contribute in some measure towards the mighty organization which is responsible for it. "The people of England are bearing a burden to the amount of two hundred and fifty millions of dollars per year. Canada does not pay a single cent. And this while the average wage of the worker in England is four and a half dollars per week, hard-

ly more than a Canadian gets per day. Of course, the whole matter is something which only Canadians can decide, but I am just putting these points forward as a student of these matters. No Division of Authority.

"There must be no division of naval authority," said Sir George in answer to a question. "A navy should be like a set of chessmen, with the sea of the world as the board; each division, each squadron, is but a piece in the game. The whole navy should be regulated from one central point of control. There may be a need for a local navy in years to come. Just now the pressing need is in the North Sea."

A Highly-Organized Product.
Sir George had some interesting things to say about the men behind the guns, who are, after all the great factors in any naval struggle. "The British bluejacket," he averred, "is one of the most highly organized products in the world. He is well-educated, and perfectly trained; he is as well a skilled mechanic, a unit in a great and complex system, each component part of which moves with absolute precision and accuracy. It takes five whole years of hard work to turn out a bluejacket. If you decide on a Canadian navy, you should take these things into account."

Like Sir Charles Beresford, the bluff and outspoken admiral of the home forces, Sir George Armstrong believes in the efficient patrolling of all the seas as well as the concentrating of force where the danger seems most imminent. "To take a homely analogy," he said, "you want to have the policeman on his beat. You want to prevent the burglary being committed, and not to hurry your policeman there after the damage has been done."

Rome Calls Back Her Legions.
"Any man who wants to realize the power of Britain's decline has only to remember that eight years ago there were sixteen battleships on the Mediterranean. Now there is none. It is the old story over again of Rome calling back her legions to defend her own gates. You know what happened to Rome!"

PROMINENT IMPERIAL ADMINISTRATOR HERE

Sir Arthur Dawley Arrived
Here Yesterday — Distinguished Official Career

The first member of the party of British public men and financiers under the direction of A. M. Grenfell, of the Canadian Agencies, Ltd., who have been touring Canada, arrived yesterday in Capt. Hon. Sir Arthur Lawley, who has held important appointments in different parts of the Empire.

Sir Arthur declined to be interviewed, stating that he had nothing special to say to the Times man, but naturally he had been greatly impressed with the visit, and the wonderful development of the west, as well as the optimistic spirit which prevailed. Mr. Grenfell's party had now broken up, and the individual members had separated to make their return to England as they wished. Others were on their way to the coast now.

Sir Arthur, who is both a G.C.E.E. and K.C.M.G., was administrator of Malabailand from 1898 to 1901, when he was transferred to Western Australia in succession to Sir Gerard Smith, and remained at Perth for a short time. In 1902 he was appointed Lieut.-Governor of the Transvaal, and continued in that office while Lord Milner was High Commissioner, till the establishment of responsible government in the annexed provinces by the Campbell-Bannerman administration in 1906. He was then transferred to Madras, as governor of that province.

GREAT CANADIAN VISITS VICTORIA

SIR HENRY PELLATT ARRIVES IN MOTOR

With Prominent Party—Was
Fishing at Campbell River—
Man of Many Interests

After a successful expedition to Campbell River, Sir Henry M. Pellatt, of Toronto, and party, arrived in Victoria by motor yesterday afternoon and registered at the Empress. With Sir Henry are Lady Pellatt, Sir George Armstrong, Sir Lambert and Miss Ormery, Col. Gibbs, M. P., and Mrs. Gibbs, of England; Mr. and Mrs. Bond, of Toronto; Canon Storrs, of Kingston, Ont., and Mr. H. J. Mackie, ex-M. P. of Pembroke, Ont.

Sir Henry was very much pleased with the sport at Campbell River, his catch being seven salmon averaging ten pounds each. This is his first visit to the coast in six years and pleasure, not business, is the object of his present trip.

Sir Henry Pellatt is one of Canada's foremost financiers, his industrial interests being enormous. He received his business experience under his father and Sir E. B. Osler, whose financial service he entered at fifteen years of age. He is a director of navigation, insurance, power and light, mining, telegraph, street railway, and other companies, a liberal patron of arts, and a munificent contributor to charitable and educational movements. In his early days he was a noted all-round athlete and won the one-mile amateur running championship of America in 1879. His association with the 2nd Regiment Queen's Own Rifles of Toronto, of which he is Colonel, is well known. In 1910, at his own expense, he took the regiment (620 strong) to England to participate in the Imperial army manoeuvres at Aldershot. In 1905 he was knighted by King Edward and last year he was elected president of the society of Knights Bachelor, which, by his enterprise and generosity, he is making an important imperial organization. He has been described as "The Cecil Rhodes of Canada" by more than one admirer, and is admittedly the most generous and enthusiastic amateur soldier in the Dominion.

FINED FOR IGNORING THE TAX COLLECTOR

Shore Hardware Company
Pays \$20 for Not Delivering
List of Employees

J. I. Seabrook, managing director of the Shore Hardware Company, and Edward A. Lewis, provincial tax collector, both appeared in the police court again this morning with their wounds caused over the piece of tin and the absence of the employment list of the firm, unhealed by the kindly advice of Magistrate Jay given yesterday morning to the first named. As a consequence the magistrate this morning fined J. I. Seabrook the sum of \$20, because he had not delivered the list required by the collector, and told him that the fine was not a satisfaction for the taxes the collector desired to collect. He still has to produce the list as required.

Mr. Seabrook this morning said that the collector would have received the list yesterday if he had been patient and waited a while. The witness did not think it fair that he should have to run round the store asking every employee his age and to ascertain if all the employees were over the age of 18. If he had to do this, the collector could very well wait while he did it, but on this occasion the accused said the collector had not been patient. Magistrate Jay came to the conclusion that the impatience was all on the part of the accused, and as he had not taken advantage of the leniency offered him yesterday the firm would be fined. The fine was paid.

For assaulting a police officer H. S. Farrell was sent to jail for two months, and A. C. Burdick, for speeding, was fined \$20.

ENTRIES FOR SHOW.
Must Be Submitted to Secretary Sangster Without Delay.

Those who have entries to make in any of the provincial exhibition departments are requested to submit their applications to George Sangster, the secretary, at the B. C. Agricultural Association offices, Law Chambers, without delay. The show is to be held next week, opening on Tuesday and extending to Saturday, so that it may easily be seen that the time is growing very short. Up to the present more interest of an active kind is being displayed than ever before. The fact that more building space is absolutely necessary has been conclusively demonstrated and this is a problem with which the association will have to grapple.

The entertainment programme has been practically completed. It is one of exceptional merit. It is announced that membership tickets, good for admission at the gates, are available at \$2.00 each. The daily admission will be 50 cents, children 25 cents, adults after 4 p. m., 25 cents, the grandstand, 25 cents, and for grandstand box seats, 50 cents. Mr. Sangster states that arrangements have been made to allow automobiles plying for hire into the grounds on membership tickets.

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Let Us Do This : Let Us Prove Our Argument

Let us show you that this fine property is all in grass, that it hasn't a rock patch on it, that there is plenty of pure water without any "bugs" in it; that there are already built several nice houses with happy families living in them; that there are other homes in course of erection; that the streets are all 66 ft. wide; that the view is worth while, including Mount Douglas Park and Valley; that part of the property is in orchard; that church and school are both near by.

The announcement of the extension of a street car line to the City Park at Mount Douglas is likely to come almost any time. Whenever it does come, prices in this subdivision will go up at once with a jump. There will always be a demand for these lots. They are selling well now, but there are a great many good ones left.

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NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
New York, Sept. 18.
Open High Low Close
Jan. 11.45 11.61 11.45 11.57-58
March 11.59 11.76 11.59 11.73-74
May 11.88 11.84 11.88 11.80-81
July 11.82 11.87 11.82 11.82-83
Oct. 11.87 11.82 11.87 11.80-81
Dec. 11.87 11.82 11.87 11.80-81

NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, Sept. 18.—Raw sugar steady; Muscovado, 30 test, \$3.85; centrifugal, 96 test, \$4.35; molasses sugar, 30 test, \$3.61; refined sugar steady.

NEW YORK METALS.

New York, Sept. 18.—Copper dull; spot, \$17.25@17.75. Tin firm; spot, \$28.75@29.25. Lead, \$5.70@5.25. Spelter, \$7.25@7.50.

LONDON COPPER.

London, Sept. 18.—Copper close: Spot, 27s 7d, up 2s 3d; sales, 300 tons. Futures, 27s 7d, up 2s 3d; sales, 800 tons.

ACTIVITY MARKS

NEW YORK MARKET

Shorts Cover Freely With Result That Advancing Tendency is Displayed

New York, Sept. 18.—It has been maintained by many for quite a period that what the stock market lacked more than anything else was leadership, so after it developed today that strong forces were committing themselves aggressively to the side of advancing prices owing to rather well-defined reports that government deposits to the extent of about fifty million dollars would be deposited in the banks to facilitate the financing of the crop movement, shorts became nervous and covered freely with the result that advancing tendencies were displayed.

As stated from time to time, monetary conditions have been against a material expansion of loans for stock market purposes, but owing to rather well-defined prospects of government aid, it is not unlikely that securities prices will start to reflect the strong fundamental conditions, though it may be too early to expect that a rampant bull market will be in order.

High Low Bid Asked
Amalg. Copper 88 87 87 88
Ann. Beet Sugar 26 26 26 26
Ann. Can. 62 61 61 62
Ann. C. & Foundry 58 57 57 58
Ann. Cotton Oil 55 54 54 55
Ann. Locomotive 44 43 43 44
Ann. Smelting 56 55 55 56
Ann. Sugar 128 127 127 128
Ann. Tel. & Tel. 144 143 143 144
Anacosta 108 107 107 108
Atchafalaya 107 106 106 107
B. & O. 107 106 106 107
B. R. T. 50 49 49 50
C. P. R. 27 26 26 27
Central Leather 22 21 21 22
C. & O. 21 20 20 21
C. & G. W. 18 17 17 18
Do. pref. 32 31 31 32
C. M. & St. P. 107 106 106 107
Colo. Fuel & Iron 145 144 144 145
Con. Gas 28 27 27 28
Distillers Sec. 34 33 33 34
Erie 37 36 36 37
Goldfield Cons. 139 138 138 139
G. N. pref. 46 45 45 46
G. N. Ore. 130 129 129 130
Illinois Cent. 200 199 199 200
Inter-Metro. 200 199 199 200
Do. pref. 272 271 271 272
Kas. City Southern 162 161 161 162
L. & N. 151 150 150 151
Lehigh Valley 162 161 161 162
Guggenheim 53 52 52 53
M. St. P. & S. S. M. 42 41 41 42
Mo. Pacific 40 39 39 40
Nat. Lead 22 21 21 22
Nev. Cons. 22 21 21 22
N. Y. C. 115 114 114 115
N. & W. 117 116 116 117
N. P. 129 128 128 129
Pacific Mail 31 30 30 31
Pennsylvania 124 123 123 124
Pressed Steel Car 37 36 36 37
Reading 174 173 173 174
Rock Island 27 26 26 27
Rep. Iron & Steel 90 89 89 90
S. P. 114 113 113 114
S. P. pref. 114 113 113 114
Sou. Railway 31 30 30 31
Do. pref. 83 82 82 83
Tex. Pacific 24 23 23 24
Twin City 111 110 110 111
U. P. 178 177 177 178
U. S. Steel 113 112 112 113
Do. pref. 113 112 112 113
Utah Copper 64 63 63 64
Va. Car. Chem. 42 41 41 42
Westinghouse 85 84 84 85
Wisconsin Central 51 50 50 51
Money on call 5 4 4 5
Total sales, 46,000 shares.

TORONTO STOCKS.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Toronto, Sept. 18.

Bid. Asked
B. C. Packers "A" 114 114
Do. "B" 114 114
Do. common 114 114
Can. Gen. Electric 113 113
Consumers Gas 113 113
Dom. Iron pref. 113 113
Dom. Steel Works 113 113
Dom. Telegraph 104 107
Dom. Leaf 68 68
Do. pref. 98 98
Montreal Power 24 24
Pennsylv. 113 113
Porto Rico Ry. Co. 113 113
R. & O. Nav. Co. 113 113
Rio Janeiro Tram. 143 143
St. L. & C. Nav. Co. 113 113
Shredded Wheat 141 141
Toronto Railway 223 223
Winnipeg Railway 223 223
Twins 110 110

BANK STOCKS.

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Bid. Asked
Commerce 224 224
Imperial 224 224
Molson 224 224
Royal 224 224
Toronto 224 224
Union 224 224
Metropolitan 224 224
Dominion 224 224
Merchants 224 224
Montreal 224 224
Ottawa 224 224
Standard 224 224
Hamilton 224 224

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—Receipts, 4,500; market steady to 10c. up; heavy, \$4.75@4.80; western, \$4.70@4.75; stockers and feeders, \$4.20@4.25; cows and heifers, \$2.80@2.85; calves, \$7.75@8.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 22,000; market slow, 5c. lower; light, \$6.00@6.05; mixed, \$5.90@5.95; heavy, \$5.85@5.90; rough, \$5.75@5.80; pigs, \$4.50@4.55; bulk of sales, \$5.00@5.05.

SHEEP—Receipts, 28,000; market weak to 10c. lower; native, \$3.50@3.55; western, \$3.40@3.45; yearlings, \$4.50@4.55; lambs, native, \$4.50@4.55; western, \$4.40@4.45.

Special News

CORONATION GOLD

SHARES IN DEMAND

Holders Show No Disposition to Sell at Present Quotations

Victoria, Sept. 18.—But for the fact that many holders of Coronation Gold show no desire to sell their stock at present figures, quite moderate sales would be made in this issue on the local stock exchange, there being a healthy demand at the fifty-cent level. This augurs for activity in the near future, so soon as interest gets underway.

Quotations for other stocks and securities remains quiet but firm. It will only need a lead by one of the standard issues to create some movement in the balance of the list; more particularly International Gold and Granby Smelter.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Development	50	51
American Canadian Oil	35	36
Canadian Northwest Oil	35	36
Can. Pac. Oil of B. C.	35	36
Maricopa Oil	35	36
Alberta Coal & Coke	35	36
British Pacific Coal	35	36
Crow's Nest Coal	35	36
McMillan Coal & Coke	35	36
McMillan Coal & Coke	35	36
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke	35	36
Royal Collieries	35	36
B. C. Packers, com.	50	51
Balfour Patents	35	36
C. N. P. Fisheries	35	36
Can. Puget Sound Lumber	35	36
Capital Furniture Co.	35	36
Col. W. P. & P. Co.	35	36
North Shore Ironworks	35	36
S. S. I. Creamery	35	36
Victoria-Phoenix Brew.	35	36
Dominion Trust Co.	35	36
Great West Permanent (a.)	35	36
Stewart Land	35	36
Grand Investment Co.	35	36
B. C. Copper	35	36
Granby	35	36
Coronation Gold	35	36
Lucky Jim Zinc	35	36
Stagat Gold	35	36
Rambler Cariboo	35	36
Standard Lead	35	36
Glacier Creek	35	36
Portland Canal	35	36
Red Cliff	35	36
Stewart M. & D.	35	36
Snowstorm	35	36
Slocan Star	35	36
American Marconi	35	36
Canadian Marconi	35	36
Can. W. Trust	35	36

WHEAT RECEIPTS.

Wheat receipts in carloads follow:

To-day. Year.
Winnipeg 47 47
Duluth 117 117
Winnipeg 44 44
Chicago 71 71
St. Louis 200 200
St. Louis estimated in bushels 46,000

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

Winnipeg, Sept. 18.—The market, which opened quarter lower for October, and steady for other months, gained strength as the morning advanced and closed higher all round. Oats and flax were steady. Splendid weather for threshing is general over the west. Exporters are busy with the crop and there is a good free business. Receipts were light, being 8 cars inspected and 108 in sight. Wheat—Oct. 83¢@84¢; Dec. 84¢@85¢; May, 85¢@86¢.
Oats—Oct. 32¢@33¢; Dec. 33¢@34¢; May, 34¢@35¢.
Flax—Oct. 153¢@154¢; Dec. 154¢@155¢; May, 155¢@156¢.
Cash prices: wheat—1 Nor. 94; 2 Nor. 92; 3 Nor. 90; 4 Nor. 88; 5 Nor. 86; 6 Nor. 84; feed, 60.
Oats—No. 2 C. W. 44; No. 3 C. W. 42; extra No. 1 feed, 43; No. 1 feed, 42; No. 2 feed, 37.
Barley—No. 3, 50; No. 4, 44; feed, 40.
Flax—No. 1 N. W. 160; No. 2 C. W. 153.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

Much rain has fallen in Southeastern Russia and later wheat threshing returns are unsatisfactory as regards both quality and quantity.
A dispatch from Omaha says there has been a killing frost in the western part of the state north of the Platte, and frost is predicted for north and western part to-night. Fourteen stations in Nebraska report clear to cloudy.
A Kansas dispatch says: Expectations are that Southern Kansas and Oklahoma corn will be much lighter than the trade generally believes. Heat did more damage than thought possible, and the loss is being borne out by numerous farmers in the last few days, who say the yield is going to be very disappointing in that territory.
Minneapolis stock of wheat has increased 525,000 bushels for four days.
All the brands of copper have been sold this week at the top price, 17 1/2, says a New York dispatch. Private advices from abroad indicate consumption in Europe has been steadily maintained.
Winnipeg—Forecast, fine and warm for Manitoba and Saskatchewan, with a few light showers in Alberta.
A Chicago dispatch says it is understood 150,000 bushels of wheat have been sold to eastern exporters since the close of business yesterday.
Snow's report is as follows: My current advices indicate a tendency to lower corn estimates. Too much rain and cool weather east of the Missouri river in further delaying an already dangerous late crop position. It is also becoming apparent that drought damage in Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and Nebraska is greater than was supposed when it occurred. Grain men are for less than 175,000, which would make it the smallest crop since 1903, except the partial failure of last year.
A Kansas City dispatch says: Advices from country says farm deliveries of wheat will be almost nothing for next thirty days on account of the fall ploughing and seeding.

PRICES ADVANCE

IN CHICAGO PIT

Best Point of Day Reached Shortly Before Close—Pressure From Local Shorts

(Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, Sept. 18.—Surprise for wheat traders was the order of the day, because about ninety per cent. of the trade really expected to see a soft market and lower prices because of the enormous spring crop movement in the Northwest. Before the close, best point of the day was made and the close was a half better than yesterday. The reason the market does not continue weak at the decline is absence of normal hedging sales, the pressure being chief-ly from Chicago. Short selling and wheat goes into hands of commission people, forcing shorts to cover on rallies. The bullish feature the last half hour, when best rally was recorded, was strong turn in the Northwest markets, especially Minneapolis. Possibly the late month closed strong at the top for the day.

Advices on December corn suggesting purchases on depressions proved correct, as that month recovered from early dip and closed higher for the day. Cash corn was quoted strong. Strong cash houses were buying September and December corn on the advance.

Oats were firm.

GRAIN MARKETS.

Berlin, Sept. 18.—Wheat closed 11 higher.
Budapest, Sept. 18.—Wheat closed 1 lower.
Antwerp, Sept. 18.—Wheat closed unchanged.
Liverpool, Sept. 18.—Wheat closed 1 higher.
Omaha, Sept. 18.—Cash wheat 1 higher; corn unchanged; oats unchanged to 1 up.
Kansas City, Sept. 18.—Cash wheat and corn unchanged.
St. Louis, Sept. 18.—Cash wheat 1 higher; corn 1 to 1 higher; oats unchanged.
Peoria, Sept. 18.—Cash corn 1 higher; oats 1 higher.
Chicago, Sept. 18.—Cash wheat unchanged over Sept.
Chicago, Sept. 18.—Cash sales: Wheat, 300,000; corn, 225,000; oats, 230,000.

CLEARANCES.

Wheat and flour 120,000
Corn 84,000
Oats 8,000

FATALITY AT RACES.

Walla Walla, Wash., Sept. 18.—Death rode in the relay race at the fair yesterday. A. C. Curtis, of Springfield, Colo., one of the riders, was thrown from his horse and his neck broken. The accident occurred the crowd nor the other riders realized what had happened. Sid Carter, Curtis' partner, finished the race and went to the barn, where he first learned of the death of Curtis. He left a wife and two children.

The tramways committee of the Edinburgh town council have been considering a report by their engineer on a self-propelled car. The motive power, he said, was derived from a petrol engine operated on the platform. There were certain objections, but, on the whole, he was impressed with the possibility which this system possessed for a city like Edinburgh, having regard to the heavy cost of the conduit slot system and the aesthetic objections to overhead wires.

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CLOSE TO HILLSIDE—West of Cook street, we have some good ground, 50x125, ranging in price from \$250 to \$500, on good terms. Carlow & Luesley, 321 Central Bldg. \$15

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SNAP IN LOT, Stanley avenue, 58 feet frontage; \$1,000, terms, J. Greenwood, 613 Sayward Building. \$15

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100 FT. SHOAL BAY WATERFRONT, \$1,000 each; cheapest buy in district. Phone 2473. \$20

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DUNLEVY STREET—Near Uplands, a fine lot, \$1,000. Box 1836, Times. \$25

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HILLSIDE AVE.—2 1/2 lots, 50x120, between Blackwood and Cook; price \$2,100; \$500 cash, balance arranged. Ewart Birt, 510 Johnson street. Phone 2523. \$20

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HAULTAIN ST.—3 lots, 40 ft., \$500 each, 1, 2, & 12 B. another 50x120, high and dry, \$1,500, 1, 2, & 12 B. Ewart Birt, 510 Johnson. \$20

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FOR SALE—3-acre lot, near Langford station, \$500 each; suitable for chicken ranch. Hinkson Siddall & Son. \$20

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NICE LEVEL LOT on Forbes street, 50x120, \$1,250, usual terms. Phone 2518. \$20

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FOR SALE—Lot, Stanley street, West Bay, \$1,500; 1 acre, Gas City, \$1,500; lot, Scott street, \$500; lot, corner Suffolk and Dalton, \$1,500; 2 lots, Burnside road, \$1,500 each; lot, corner Sea view and Graham, \$1,500; lot, Toppas and Graham, \$1,500; lot, Walnut, \$1,200; lot, Crescent road, \$2,000; 8 room house, Dunedin, corner lot, \$1,500, very easy terms. Hodgson Realty, 1228 Government. \$15

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OAK BAY SNAP—Good, level lot on Saragosa Ave., close to Victoria Ave., 45x100; only \$1,200; terms, May & Tissemann, 730 Fort. \$20

COR. CENTRAL AVE. and Hampshire road, 50x110, high, dry, level, for a few days at \$1,750, on terms, May & Tissemann, 730 Fort. \$20

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ENQUIRE AT ONCE at room 601 Sayward Block. Large lots inside city limits, \$700 and \$750 each. \$20

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WANTED—Immediately, list of desirable vacant lots in Oak Bay district. Cree & Sloan, 1021 Government St. \$24

FURNISHED and housekeeping rooms for rent, close in. 1709 Douglas. \$20

TO LET—Furnished house, 6 roomed, modern house, nicely furnished, \$60 per month. Hinkson Siddall & Son, 319-320 Sayward Block. \$20

HARVEST SALE SPECIALS—Thursday, cake canisters, women's underwear, art dollies, dresser scarves, 5, 10, 15c. Store. \$15

YOU CANNOT AFFORD to miss the harvest sale. 5, 10, 15c. Store. \$15

WATCH OUR COUNTERS for harvest sale bargains. \$15

LEOY—chimney cleaner. Phone F2183. \$22

NURSING.

PRACTICAL MATERNITY NURSE open engagements. Mrs. Webb, 187 Fern street. Phone R2996. \$20

LOST—Band of carriage wheel. Finder please return to H. Mercer, back street, Yates street, or Phone 2540. \$15

YOUNG MAN, carpenter, wants board and room, private family, willing to pay good rate; vicinity Victoria Crystal Spring preferred. Address J. D. Sellars, 102 Richardson street. \$20

WANTED—Young ladies of fair education and neat appearance to learn telephone operating. Apply in person to District Traffic Superintendent B. C. Telephone Co., corner Blanchard and Johnson. \$20

WANTED—Competent bookkeeper; state references; good position for right person. Apply Box 256, Times. \$20

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU—Wah Ying Tai & Co., 506 Fingard St. P.O. Box 1229. \$20

SMITH & RUSSELL, practical slate and tile roofers, 2308 Spring road. \$19

A BEAUTIFUL English-made Player piano, together with a number of rolls of music, the property of the Hon. Messrs. H. M. C. S. Rainbow, will be raffied for on or about September 20th. The instrument complete, in fine condition. Hall Plan Warehouse, 735 Fort street. Tickets \$1.00 each. \$20

THE DEVELOPMENT CLUB of Fort Fraser, B. C. wants to get in touch with you if you are looking for a "live wire" town to locate or invest in. Fort Fraser offers you the greatest opportunity in Canada—and that means on the Continent. By writing to the club's secretary you can obtain complete information regarding industries. In your letter give all the information as to your needs that you can and answer all questions that are answered in the most complete way. Write to-day and be sure to ask for the latest copy of the Fraser Development Club, W. A. Matheson, Secy., Vancouver office, 1024 Winch Bldg. \$20

FURNISHED HOUSE FOR RENT—We have an excellent 7 roomed house, well furnished, on good street, close in, to rent for a term of six months at \$100 per month. The Griffiths Company, Rooms 5, 7, 9, 11, Mahon Bldg., 1112 Government street. \$20

NICELY FURNISHED, furnace heated bungalow, American family, \$15 monthly. 1250 Pandora. \$15

TWO NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, vacant now; terms moderate. 213 Belleville street. \$20

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, convenience; \$10 per month. 1035 Hillside avenue. \$20

WANTED—Paperhangers and painters. Apply Harbness, 919 Pandora. \$15

LOST—Lady's small blue enamel watch, in wristlet, between Government and Yates Sts. Return to Times Office. Reward. \$20

EXPERT ON EYE DEFECTS—I correct every error by making lenses that exactly suit. My prices are low. Frank Clugston, optician, 464 Yates street, corner of Commercial and Yates. \$20

MOVING PICTURE SNAP—For sale, complete travelling outfit, consisting of 1 Edison moving picture machine, complete with accessories, including gas, 1 Edison calcium gas generating plant, 1 line jet, 1 screen about 15 ft. long, 1 projector, 1 camera, 1 tripod, 1 thorough working order. First reasonable offer accepted. Apply Box 194, Times. \$20

LOST—Diamond and pearl ring, between Blanchard and Broad, via Flanagan, Douglas and Yates Sts. Reward at Times Office. \$20

NURSING—Mrs. E. Hood, maternity nurse, 1133 Flanagan St. Phone L3950. \$19

BOY WANTED—To learn plumbing. Apply Scott & Sinclair, 1729 Cook street. \$20

I WANT 3 OR 4 ACRES within easy distance of city, from owners preferred. Please state terms to Box 1944 Times. \$15

WANTED—Good building lot in 1 1/2 mile circle, from owners. State terms to P. O. Box 1446. \$20

WANTED—Experienced waitresses, at 724 Yates. \$20

WANTED—Marker and distributor; also two girls to start laundry. Apply 244 Park St. \$24

FOR SALE—Kitchen cabinet. Apply Apartment 5, 363 Menzies street. \$20

WANTED—Man, for general work, state age, experience and wages expected. Apply Box 1947, Times Office. \$20

JAMES BAY WINDOW CLEANERS and reliable laborers. H. Kelway, 344 Coburg street. Phone R1663. \$19

COMFORTABLE ROOM for two young men, with board, 211 Mary street, Victoria West. \$20

LARGE, comfortably furnished front room, with use of kitchen, and all conveniences, quiet, pleasant house on car line. Mrs. Walker, city limits, Esquimalt road. Phone M1627. \$15

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JOSEPH ST., four room modern bungalow, close to car and school. \$650 cash, balance arranged. Price \$3200

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622 Catherine St., Victoria West.
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Not far from this famous beauty spot we have some beautiful building sites, which at the present time are the cheapest and best buying in Victoria. A look at any of these will satisfy the most particular.

Portage Ave., 50x120, right where things are moving; 1/4 cash, 6, 12, 18 months \$950

Portage Ave., two fine, level lots, each 50x120, on terms of 1/4 cash, 6, 12, 18 months \$950

Walter Ave., a lot looking right down over the Gorge. View cannot be shut out. This is going soon for \$950

Obed Ave., the cheapest in the district and a high class lot. Terms arranged. Price . . . \$750

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TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
At New York—Cincinnati-New York game postponed; rain.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn-Chicago game postponed; rain.
At Boston—

First Game. R. H. E.
Boston 1 12 2
Pittsburgh 9 12 0
Batteries—Donnelly and Raridan; Camnitz and Gibson.

Second Game. R. H. E.
Boston 0 5 0
Pittsburgh 9 9 0
Batteries—Tyler and Raridan; O'Brien and Simon.

At Philadelphia—R. H. E.
Philadelphia 3 9 3
St. Louis 7 10 2
Batteries—Finneran, Mayer and Loan and Morgan; Greiner and Wingo.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
At Cleveland—Cleveland-Boston game postponed; rain.
At St. Louis—

First Game. R. H. E.
St. Louis 0 7 2
Washington 2 9 2
Batteries—Allright and Alexander; Groom and Williams.

At Chicago—R. H. E.
Chicago 9 13 1
Philadelphia 1 8 2
Batteries—Lange and Easterly; Covaleski and Egan.

At Detroit—R. H. E.
Detroit 9 11 2
New York 4 14 3
Batteries—Jensen and Stange; McConnell and Sweeney.

THE ROYAL VISITORS.

Vancouver, Sept. 18.—Vancouver is ready to welcome the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and Princess Patricia, who will arrive this afternoon. The city has been lavishly decorated, and an elaborate programme of entertainment for the royal visitors has been prepared. The party will visit New Westminster on Saturday, and in the evening will go on board the Princess Alice for Prince Rupert.

IN CRITICAL CONDITION.

Winnipeg, Sept. 18.—Hon. J. W. Sifton, ex-speaker of the Manitoba legislature and president of the Free Press Publishing Co., took a serious turn last night, and is said to be sinking.

STRIKE TROUBLES.

Five Hundred Shets Fired During a Pitched Battle in Colorado.

Lafayette, Colo., Sept. 18.—Five hundred shots were fired last night in a pitched battle between non-union coal miners, employed at the Simpson mine, and a band of supposed union men who attacked the stockade in which the former were having a dance. Geo. Michoff, one of the non-union men, was shot three times and will probably die.

DIED.

MACLAUGHLIN—On the 16th instant, at his family residence, Fernwood road and Pandora avenue, in the seventy-second year of her age, Rebecca Jane, loved wife of the late J. H. MacLaughlin, Esq., assistant receiver-general for British Columbia. Funeral private.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. City Clerk's Office, September 17, 1912.

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EIGHT LOTS

These lots run through between Blackwood street and Stevenson street and are only 150 feet off Finlayson street. They are one block from Cook street, well within the mile-and-one-half circle, and adjacent to extensive improvement on Finlayson street.

\$8,000. TERMS

Good Buys in Fruitlands Subdivision

Between Quadra and Cook streets, on the mile-and-one-half circle. Some of these lots are in fruit.

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From \$1,150 to \$1,250. Terms

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Pretty Cottage

Containing four rooms, living room, scullery and two bedrooms. House is just newly built, and stands on choice, high lot 50x125, situate on Tillicum Rd., near Gorge car line. Lot is improved by sidewalk and city water.

PRICE

\$1700

Terms \$500 cash, balance can be paid monthly like rent.

This property is well worth the price asked.

John Greenwood

Telephone 1425.

613 Sayward Bldg.

PARADE WILL BE

THREE MILES LONG

Twenty Thousand Odd Fellows Will March Through Streets of Winnipeg

Winnipeg, Sept. 18.—With cloudless skies and ideal weather Winnipeg is ready to witness the gigantic 20,000 Odd Fellow parade, the largest ever seen in western Canada. The city is decorated as never before. Across the avenues to be threaded by the procession three-link emblems are stretched. Public buildings, commercial houses and residences streaming with bunting and flags. One hundred thousand Winnipeggers will watch, with twenty-five thousand visitors. All traffic will be suspended after 2 o'clock. The procession travels Broadway, Main to Royal Alexander hotel, reverses on Main to Portage, and disperses at Kennedy. The route is about four miles long and is roped for three miles. Police and military will guard the right-of-way. The mayor, council and members of the government will take part in the three-mile long procession, which is to be headed by the Patriarchs Militant. One thousand Rebecas will parade in the sixth division.

BREAKWATER TENDERS IN.

To-day Was Last Day Department of Public Works Received Bids.

To-day was the last day on which the department of public works received tenders for the construction of the new Odgen Point breakwater. Several big firms have tendered for the job, which is expected to cost much more than was originally estimated.

Toronto, Sept. 18.—Everything is in readiness for the Canadian convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, which meets in this city to-morrow for a three days' session.

Municipal Notice

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable:

1. To construct conduits with all lateral connections for the purpose of placing telephone wires underground on Government street from Cormorant street to Discovery street;

2. To construct conduits with all lateral connections for the purpose of placing telephone wires underground on Yates street from Camosun street to Fort street;

3. To construct conduits with all lateral connections for the purpose of placing telephone wires underground on Fort street, Oak Bay Junction to Foul Bay road.

And that all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-Law, and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of this by-law, upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be payable by the City Engineer and City Assessor as the Council may by-law in that behalf resolve and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. City Clerk's Office, September 17, 1912.

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Linden Ave. \$6500
McKenzie St., near Linden . . . \$5000
McPherson Ave. \$5000

LOTS

Four Lots, cor. Moss and McKenzie, 180 ft. frontage, facing south \$7500

Wellington St., south of Faithful. Price \$2100

Craigdarroch \$3250

Shelbourne St., near Lansdowne. Price \$800

Prior St., lot 28, section 4. \$2100

Derby Road \$700

Cross St. \$700

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D. & G. SARDINES IN OIL, per glass 60¢
NOEL & SONS' TURKEY AND TONGUE, glass 60¢
NOEL & SONS' GELATINE OF VEAL AND HAM, glass 60¢
OX TONGUE, per glass, \$1.50 or \$1.25
ST. IVEL SAVOURY CHICKEN BREASTS IN ASPIC, glass 75¢
ST. IVEL GELATINE CHICKEN AND HAM, per glass 35¢
C. & B. SARDINES IN OIL, tin 50¢
JOCKEY CLUB SARDINES IN OIL, tin 50¢
ALBERT BONELESS SARDINES, tin 40c or 25c; in Tomato Sauce, tin 25¢
ANDRAE SARDINES, tin 25¢
TREFAVENNE SARDINES, tin 25¢

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WITH EVERY \$25.00 WORTH OF TOOLS, BOUGHT FOR CASH, WE WILL THROW IN ONE OF OUR VERY BEST TOOL CHESTS, SELLING HERE AND ELSEWHERE AT \$6.50

Make your own selection. Every tool in the store is marked and is only of the best of their various kinds.

We Bear This Loss to Still Further Introduce and Get You Acquainted With Victoria's New and Progressive Hardware Store.

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707 FORT ST. (NEXT TRAMWAY)

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McGregor Block (first floor)
Cor. View and Broad. Phone 923.

Denman St.—2 lots, 1/4 cash, price each \$1,100
Cloverdale Ave.—Corner, 1/4 cash, price \$1,500
Bethune Ave.—Home site, 1/4 cash, price \$925
Richmond Ave.—Just below Oak Bay avenue, fine lot, 1/4 cash, price \$1,750
Tillamook Road—Fine corner, 1/4 cash, price \$1,500
Gorge View—Large lot, cash \$200, and terms. Price \$950
Parkdale—Cash \$150 and terms monthly for balance. Last at \$600

HOLLYWOOD SPECIALS.

Hollywood Crescent—A magnificent view: 1/4 cash and terms \$2,100
Arnold Ave.—45x170, fine, long lot, cash \$400. Price \$1,600
Ross Street—Cash 1/4, and 6, 12, 18 months. Price \$1,700
Close in Bargain in Humboldt St.—Only \$12,500 for 7 room house and large lot, 56x140; will shortly be worth \$20,000. Only few minutes' walk from Empress hotel and post office. Cash \$3,500

SHORT NOTICE SALE

Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed, will sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION
At 1222 Langley Street, next Chancery Chambers, on

Thursday, Sept. 19
AT 2 O'CLOCK, A QUANTITY OF

Household FURNITURE and EFFECTS

Including: Handsome mahogany Drawing Room Suite, up in brocade! Escrow, double brass Bedstead and Spring Mattresses, double iron and brass Bedstead and Spring, single iron Bedstead and Mattresses, Majestic Range, Western Range, 3 Heaters, Mission Oak Buffet, Maple Sideboard, oak Sideboard, oak Writing Desk, mahogany Desk, drop-leaf Table, walnut Settee, etc. Tables, Domestic Sewing Machine, Hair Mattress, Gas Heater, Wire Cot and Top Mattresses, oak Dressing Table, Ash Bureau and Stand, Couch, Washing Machine, Kitchen Tables, Pictures, Hall Rack, Carpets, Linoleum and other goods too numerous to mention.

The Auctioneer, Stewart Williams.

The Exchange

We have opened a branch store at Mr. Leaver's auction rooms, adjoining St. Joseph's hospital, where we will be pleased to receive orders for all classes of upholstery and repair work. Good old-fashioned furniture will always be on hand, further shipments of which will be shortly received from London, England.

PHONE 1337

Stewart Williams & Co.

AUCTIONEERS

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

Duly instructed by J. Douglas, Esq., who is leaving for England, will sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION

At his Residence, "Kilby," near Lampson Street, Esquimalt Road, on

**Tuesday and Wednesday
Sept. 24 and 25**

AT 2 O'CLOCK EACH DAY

The whole of his beautiful and handsome Furniture and Effects, including: Solid mahogany Drawing Furniture, Baby Grand Piano, by Steinway; solid oak Dining Room Furniture, Mission oak Furniture in both smokeroom and library, brass Bedsteads, mahogany and bird's-eye maple Bedroom Suites, silk brocade Portieres and Curtains, very elegant Lace Curtains, Velvet Pile, Axminster and other Carpets, Monarch Range, 2 Grandfather's Clocks, Pictures, brass Fenders and Fire Irons, Limoges Dinner Services, and other goods too numerous to mention.

Particulars later.

The Auctioneer, Stewart Williams.

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RIPE OLIVES, per bottle 35c, 50c, 25c 20¢
MINCED RIPE OLIVES for sandwiches, per bottle 35¢
STUFFED OLIVES with Pimentos, per bottle \$1.25, 45c, 35c 25¢
OLIVES stuffed with nuts, per bottle \$1.25, 45c 35¢
LARGE QUEEN OLIVES, per bottle \$1.25, \$1.00, 75c, 50c 25¢
PURE OLIVE OIL—Map of Italy Brand—Per bottle 50c, 50c 30¢

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GREAT JOURNALIST AND TAX EXPERT

FRANCIS NEILSON, M. P.
TALKS ON WAR SCARES

There Is No Trace of War Spirit in England, He Says

A noted advocate of single tax was in the city for a few hours in the person of Francis Neilson, M. P., for the Hythe Division of Cheshire, England. Mr. Neilson bears the distinction of being considered the greatest authority on the question of taxes and land values in the empire and perhaps one of the greatest in the world. He at present occupies the position of president of the British League for the Taxation of Land Values, and is one of the most active connected with it. Playwright, author, journalist, economist and lecturer, the varied career of Mr. Neilson has been replete with successes which have all been attained not by any superlative brilliance, but by tremendous application and dogged perseverance. He is a self-made man and early in life met with hardships and trials which would have caused many men to have given up the apparently unequal struggle. Boston and New York saw the hardest part of his fight for existence, and much of his acquaintance with the shadier side of life was acquired in the streets of these two great cities. Henry George, who was waging his great fight in New York when Neilson arrived, had been the English M.P.'s

inspiration ever since that time, and it was after reading that wonderful work, "Progress and Poverty," that he first became interested in the study of single tax. Before leaving New York, also, he became stage manager for one or two of Frohman's productions, and it was during this time that he gained his knowledge and technique which have stood him in such good stead, and which marked the work which has been his complete success, namely the "Butterfly on the Wheel," a play which was the success of the London season last year, and which he wrote in conjunction with Mr. Hemmerde, the famous K. G.

He travelled extensively throughout Europe after reaching England, and gained a great knowledge of continental music and art, as well as an insight into the political problems which confronted the countries throughout which he passed. He first went into English politics in 1902, and since that time he spent himself in unceasing effort to prevail upon the electors to study the land question.

Mr. Neilson is a staunch believer in the brotherhood of man. He is a democrat of democrats, and his creed is in the principles first outlined by the Arab Ben Adhem.

When asked as to the reason of his visit to Canada, Mr. Neilson said he was collecting material for a book upon the Dominion. One may be confident that when the book appears, it will not be of the usual superficial type which is produced by gentlemen making a casual tour of the Dominion, but a moving human document by one who has learned how to mix with the people and to share their hopes, their ideas and their sorrows. His knowledge of sociology in England is so profound as that of any other man in the country.

And it is this knowledge of their life and their ideas which emboldens him to express himself decisively on the opinion the people of England hold as to the so-called "German war scare." On this question Mr. Neilson said recently: "I declare that it is impossible to create a war spirit in England. If men like Walter Long and F. E. Smith come to Canada and tell you that the people of England are thinking about war, they tell you what is not a fact. There is no enthusiasm for war, no thought for war, in the minds of the working people of Great Britain."

"What I hope to see in Great Britain is a lord of the admiralty who will disregard the advice of the permanent officials of the department, and who will disregard the experts of the navy and go in for a policy of retrenchment. It is impossible to cancel contracts which have already been made, but it is possible for the representatives of the people of England to say that there must be an end to this steady increase in expenditure on the navy, and who will insist on a reduction of ten millions of pounds sterling in the annual appropriation. If this reduction is made in England, the German chancellor will be obliged to follow suit. If he did not he would be involved in endless difficulties with his own people."

Regarding the possibility of an attack from Germany, Mr. Neilson said that while the bureaucracy of that country might wish to make war, and while war was sought by men interested in the manufacture of the munitions of war, there were two classes of people by whom the war element was restrained. In the first place it was restrained by the financiers, the bankers of the country, and in the second place it was restrained by the great working class. The German working people were becoming convinced that all their interests were being bound up in the maintenance of peace, and that in war there was nothing for them but loss.

In England a strong element for peace, in the opinion of Mr. Neilson, was the memory of the South African war. There were so many widows and orphaned children in the country as to constitute an object lesson for all.

NANAIMO'S ANNUAL FAIR.

Nanaimo, Sept. 18.—The most successful exhibition in the history of Nanaimo Agricultural Society was opened yesterday by Hon. Price Ellison. The minister of agriculture spoke appreciatively of the display of fruits and farm products to be seen around him. A very fine display was made in all the departments of the fair, every part of the district tributary to Nanaimo being represented by large numbers of exhibits. The fair is greatly in advance of former years, both in the number and the quality of the exhibits.

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Gowns of Beauty and Elegance

Special preparations have been made for the social functions of the present month, and Evening Gowns are being exhibited in our French parlors, unusually pretty, in the daintiest of colorings and artistic workmanship. Prices ranging from \$75 to..... **45.00**

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Pioneer Transcontinental Railway Buy Rails and Rolling Stock.

During 1912 the C.P.R. purchased 185,900 tons of steel rails, which, with the fastenings amounting to 14,347 tons and the ties to 6,500 tons, make a total of 206,147 tons. These new rails are chiefly of Canadian make—being the output of the Soo and the Sydney mills—and small quantities were necessarily bought in the United States. They are nearly all 55-lb. rails, and the average cost is \$33 a ton, the whole order aggregating about \$7,000,000. When laid, these rails will extend 1,440 miles—practically from Montreal half-way across the continent, or reach from St. John, N. B., to within a few miles of

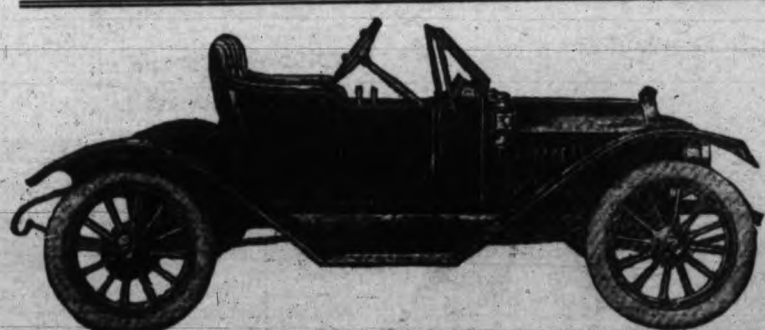
Port Arthur. To carry them to where they will be needed, would require no fewer than 137 trains—averaging fifty cars to the train—and this long line of trains would, if placed one after the other, cover a distance of fifty miles. They loom large on the prairies between Winnipeg and Portage la Prairie, and, saving five miles, would cover the entire distance between the two places. The new rails will be utilized in the various new roads and extensions of existing ones that the company is ever building, and in replacing old rails where needed, which in turn will be used for sidings or sent to the scrap heap.

It was only a few months ago that the Canadian Pacific placed an order for 12,500 freight cars and 300 locomotives at a cost of \$1,000,000. This latest order for rails indicates that the Canadian Pacific's policy is continuously progressive in maintaining the high position it has gained for keeping pace with its wonderfully increasing traffic. The committee in charge of the proposed Belfast memorial to Belfast men who died at the post of duty in the Titanic have decided to commission Sir Thomas Brock to execute the memorial, which it is expected will be erected on a commanding site opposite the city hall.

School Site Wanted

Offers of 2-acre school sites within or near the district bounded by Quadra, Finlayson, Cook and Topas Aves. will be received by Victoria School Board, City Hall, up to September 21.

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Thirty H.P. McLaughlin Buick, Model 28, Roadster, as illustrated, practically new, and insured for \$1400; an ideal doctor's car. Price, for cash, \$1500. From reliable party, will take \$1600 on terms, without interest, or will exchange for clear title to real estate. Car has cushion covers, clock, mirror, spare rim and spare tire, never used.

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